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ST. CLOUD THE WONDER CITY HAS RESUMED IT'S PLACIDITY

St. Cloud Tribune

ST. CLOUD TEMPERATURE

	Max.	Min
Thursday, July 3.....	81	70
Friday, July 4.....	90	71
Saturday, July 5.....	95	72
Sunday, July 6.....	96	74
Monday, July 7.....	96	74
Tuesday, July 8.....	96	73
Wednesday, July 9....	95	75

On July 3 11-100 of an inch of rain fell.

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COMMISSIONERS SET RATE OF TAX FOR YEAR OF 1919

Tax Assessment Books Checked and Valuations Approved as Listed By Connty Assesor.

The Osceola Board of County Commissioners met in regular monthly session on Monday and transacted a large amount of routine business and checked the tax-assessment books for the 1919 taxes and set the tax levy for next year's tax collections.

The county's tax rate was reduced 1¼ mills for the next year by making changes in the road taxes assessed.

The 7-mill hard-road tax was abolished by the Legislature, and the amount for the general road and bridge fund was increased, with power to use the general fund for hard-surfaced roads.

The tax for roads last year for county purposes was 7 mills for the hard-road fund and 3¾ miles for the general road fund. Instead of the two separate funds, an 8-mill tax was levied for next year.

A 1-mill tax for county fairs was assessed, in accordance with an act of the most recent Legislature, thus leaving the reduction at 1¼ mills.

The same levies were reassessed for all other purposes, excepting that for schools, and this tax was increased 2 mills—for county purposes—in accordance with a constitutional amendment adopted by the State's voters last year permitting an increased millage for schools. This increase in the St. Cloud school district is offset, however, by a reduction of 2 mills in the subdistrict tax heretofore collected.

The levy, as made last Monday, is as follows:

County's General Tax Levy.

General revenue fund, 5 mills.
Fine and forfeiture fund, 1 ½ mills.
General road and bridge fund, 8 mills.
Publicity fuad, ½ mill.
General school tax, 9 mills.

Special Road District No. 1.

Kissimmee section, bonded for brick roads: To create a sinking fund and pay interest, 7 mills.

Special Road And Bridge District No. 2.

St. Cloud section, bonded to build thirty-eight miles of asphalt road: To retire bonds and pay interest, 13 mills.

Special Road And Bridge District No. 3.

Kenansville section, bonded to build roads: To pay interest and retire bonds, 4½ mills.

School Taxes.

Subdistrict School Taxes.

St. Cloud district, 1 mill.
Subdistrict No. 2, 3 mills.
Suodistrict No. 3, 1 mill.
Subdistrict No. 5, 2 mills.
Subdistrict No. 6, ¼ mill.

St. Cloud Section's Taxes.

The following will show what county taxes will be assessed against all property in the St. Cloud district:

For all county funds, 17¾ mills.
For the special road tax, 13 mills.
For county schools, 9 mills.
For school subdistrict fund, 1 mill.
For general State taxes, 12 mills.
Total, 52¾ mills.

The recent Legislature raised the State tax from 8 mills to 12 mills to meet the appropriations of this session. The largest additional item of taxation was for the State Road Department, in order to secure $3,000,000 of Federal Government aid for Florida roads.

No Objections To Tax Assessor Barber's Appraisals.

The commissioners checked up the assessment roll of W. I. Barber, county tax assessor. No one being present to complain against any assessment made by the assessor, his book of appraisals and assessments was approved without change.

The 1919 asessment roll shows a little more than $5,000,000 worth of property in Osceola county subject to taxation, this assessment being based on approximately a 50-per-cent valuation basis.

Cattle Inspectors Relieved.

Monday the commissioners decided to dispense with the services of all county cattle inspectors, excepting Ordia Bass, who is working for the State also. This is due to the fact that the operation of compulsory dipping rules has been suspended for the time being.

Vats are being constructed thruout the county, and it is intended to take up compulsory dipping again when the county is fully prepared to carry the work to completion.

County Fair Provided For.

Plans are being worked out to have this county hereafter make these fairs successful. It is believed the Osceola County Fair Association will donate its holdings to the county in order that the fair may be conducted entirely by the county.

The regular monthly bills were audited and ordered paid at Monday's meeting, and several matters pertaining to roads were considered.

PART OF ST. CLOUD AS IT LOOKS FROM AN AIRPLANE

The above photograph is the second of a series of pictures made from an airplane flying over the city of St. Cloud and was snapped when the machine was flying in a northeasterly direction. It shows in the distance the shore line of a part of East Lake Tohopekaliga, which is the northern boundary line of the city of St. Cloud.

The street in the lower left-hand corner is Massachusetts avenue from Twelfth street to the railroad. The first building (bottom of picture) on the right-hand side of this street is Chunn's hospital, next (toward the lake) is the Tribune office, then Carlson's undertaking parlors, and the large building on the corner is G. A. R. Memorial hall. Directly across the street from the hall is the Baptist church. Directly across the street from the Tribune office is the home of the Tribune's editor. At the next corner (first street on the near side of the railroad) are the McKay stores (right side) and the Cummings cigar store (left). One end of Coble's garage can be seen over the cigar-store building. The street running east-west here is the St. Cloud-Melbourne asphalt highway. Opposite Chunn's hospital is the large store and residence building of J. H. DeGraw.

The next north-south street to the eastward is New York avenue. The large building on it at the bottom of the picture (corner of Twelfth street) is the People's Bank of St. Cloud. The next building (left side) is the Miles building. Next and adjoining is the Matthews store; then comes the Farris block of storerooms, in which are Sam Brammar's store and Marine's drug store, the latter on the corner. Across from Marine's store, on the right side of the street, is seen the postoffice. Diagonally across (northwestward) from the postoffice is the Farris hotel, followed (right side) by a string of stores reaching to the largest building shown on the picture—the New St. Cloud hotel, at the corner of the asphalt highway (Tenth street). Eastward from and opposite the hotel is the Bank of St. Cloud. Diagonally and northeastward a block from this hotel is shown the Atlantic Coast Line railroad depot. The Makinson hardware store is seen just across the top of this hotel and across the street from (left) the railroad depot.

The third street, starting in the lower right-hand corner of the picture, is Pennsylvania avenue, running from Twelfth street to the lake. The Meeker garage (on right side), the New England house (on right side), the Riggan store and the telephone exchange (on the left side), the St. Cloud pharmacy (right), the Porter building (right), the Bleech building (left), and the Conn building (right) are seen next in order (north) toward the lake.

Right at the margin of the picture on the fourth street from the left is shown the city hall and the fire department's building (right), and a block northward is the Daniels novelty-works building. This is Florida avenue—running north-south.

This picture was made by Lieut. Cudniff of the Government's military air service, while he was visiting this city recently in the interest of the aviation service. Another picture will be published next week.

Independence Anniversary is Observed In St. Cloud

The customary patriotic exercises by military organizations marked the observance of the 142d American Fourth of July in St. Cloud, the Grand Army of the Republic having charge of the day's features, which comprised a patriotic parade and later a meeting in G. A. R. Memorial hall, at which appropriate addresses and music were rendered.

The parade assembled at G. A. R. Memorial hall at 2 p. m. and marched westward on Eleventh street to Jersey avenue, thence north to Tenth street, thence east to Massachusetts avenue, and thence south to the hall, where the paraders and others assmbld fto the paraders assembled to listen to or participate in the addresses and the music. The following was the program in the hall:

Mayor L. Q. Bower called the assemblage to order.

Song, "America."

Invocation, by Rev. H. H. Bowen.

Reading of the Declaration of Independence, by James Campbell.

Song.

Short address on the day and what it signifies, by Rev. W. Frank Kenney.

Ten-minute talk on "What Patriotic Women Have Done for This Country," by Rev. N. W. Beauchamp.

Ten-minute talk on "What the Patriotic Men Have Done for This Country," by Mrs. Bartlett.

A story about things across the water, as seen by Comrade H. F. Cathcart and as they are.

Comrade Reagan's Address.

Among the addresses delivered was

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Features of Voyage of Dirigible R-34

Time of Flight—4 days 12 hours 12 minutes.

Distance—East Fortune, Scotland, to Mineola, N. Y., 2,965 nautical miles. The R-34's course was about 3,000 miles.

Men on Board—Thirty.
Commander—Major G. H. Scott, A. F. C.
Navigator—Captain G. C. H. Cooke, D. S. O.
Length Over All—639.5 feet.
Diameter of Gas Bag—78.9 feet.
Gas Capacity—2,000,000 cubic feet.
Gasolene Capacity—8,000 gallons.
Motive Power—Five 250 horse-power Sunbeam-Maori engines.
Maximum Speed—Sixty-six knots an hour.
Cruising radius—4900 miles.
Weight—Thirty tons, with full load.

Other Atlantic Crossing Records

1492—Christopher Columbus Palos to Salvador, 37 days.

1819—Steamship Savannah, Savannah, Ga., to Liverpool, England, 27 days.

1910—Steamship Mauretania, Queenstown, Ireland, to New York, N. Y., 4 days 10 hours 41 miutes.

May, 1919—NC-4, Rockaway, Me., to Plymouth, England, 2 days 6 hours 17 minutes.

June, 1919—Vickers plane, St. Johns, Newfoundland, to Clifden, Britain, 16 hours 20 minutes.

Great Britain's superdirigible R-34, the first lighter-than-air machine to cross the Atlantic ocean, anchored at Roosevelt flying field, at Mineola, N. Y., at 9:54 a. m. July 6 (1:54 p. m. Greenwich mean time), after an aerial voyage of 108 hours 12 minutes and which covered 3,130 knots, or approximately 3,600 land miles.

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Passing thru dense banks of clouds, with the sun and the sea visible at rare interv..ls only, the R-34 was forced to cruise 3,690 miles to reach Trinity Bay, Newfoundland, from East Fortune, Scotland, and 1,944 miles from there to Mineola, N. Y.

When the super-Zeppelin arrived at Mineola, it had left enough petrol to keep it moving only ninety minutes longer. Its crew, almost sleepless four and one-half days, was weary almost to the point of exhaustion, but was happy at the successful conclusion of the epoch-making trip.

The return voyage was scheduled to start today at 8 a. m.

Jacksonville Man Finds Philadelphia Hotter than Fla.

(From Jacksonville Metropolis.)

"I never felt such heat, and if you can't give me a cooler room I'll have to leave this hotel."

"Why, you're registered from Jacksonville, Fla.! You don't mean to tell me you feel this little warm weather in the East?"

The dialogue quoted above actually occurred between a Jacksonville business man and a hotel clerk in one of the great Eastern manufacturing cities several days ago. The hotel clerk had never been to Jacksonville in summer nor winter, and he chose that pleasant way of telling the Jacksonville man the later was a liar.

The Jacksonville man, hot and disgusted, made good his treat, left the hotel, and sat the remainder of the night in a big city park. Sick and worn out from lack of sleep, he cut short his business trip and, to avoid going to a hospital, "came home, where it is cool," as he put it.

This man, who makes not fewer than eight trips to the Eastern markets every year, told the story on a train on his return as follows:

"A few days ago I went East on business, intending to stay a week. I registered at the —— hotel, in Philadelphia, and tried to get busy. The heat beat me to it. The first night was bad; the second was terrible. I never felt such heat. The temperature was 98 and of the killing kind.

"I went to bed the second night, and it seemed that I couldn't get a breath of air. I went down to the desk, after rolling several hours, and asked to be changed to a cooler room.

"I said to the clerk: 'My room is too hot for me to sleep. Give me a cooler room in another part of this hotel.'

"The clerk looked at me as if he thought me crazy.

"'Hot!' he stammered. 'I can't give you a better room than you've got now.'

"'I never felt such heat, and if you can't give me a cooler room, I'll have to leave this hotel,' I told him.

"The clerk looked me over again, as if I had been an animal in a side show.

"'Why, you've registered from Jacksonville, Fla.! You don't mean to tell me you feel this little warm weather in the East?' he blurted out.

"I didn't argue any further, but left the hotel, rode out to the big city park, and sat there the remainder of that night. I didn't sleep much, but I did get some air.

"It went from bad to worse, for then I got sick. So I simply threw up business and started for home. We'll be in Jacksonville in a few hours, and I don't know what I'll tell my wife, for I already feel cured just to get near home. I was supposed to be away all this week."

This Jacksonville man certainly looked the part of a well person, not to mention looking like one happy with the anticipation of getting back home.

FIRST DIRIGIBLE POWER BALLOON CROSSES OCEAN

Romantic Incidents Of R-34's Journey---Scheduled To Start Return Trip Today.

Not in the mere record of miles covered is to be found the real romance of the R-34's aerial voyage to America, says an Associated Press dispatch. The full story of this great advenutre, this gamble against the elements is revealed only thru the human incidents of the trip, which were chronicled in the form of a log by Brig.-Gen. Edward M. Maitland, official observer for the British Air Ministry.

It is an intensely human story and is set down in simple and unaffected style. In it are described the feelings of the men who were starting on a great adventure, cheerfully confident in the face of a hundred dangers.

In it is described the courage of red-blooded men fighting their way thru an ocean of cloud and fog.

In it is described the resolute daring of men calculating coolly just how much fuel, already greatly shortened, they could expend in dodging tempests which might dash them to destruction.

In it is described the fighting spirit of aerial adventurers combating to the last a situation which might force them to call for assistance.

Yet nothing is to be found in the log of the great joy which must have surged up in every man's soul when they dropped anchor victoriously safe at the end of a 5,634-mile voyage.

"When flying at night, there is always a feeling of loneliness on leaving the ground," reads an entry made after the airship scarcely had taken the air; but it is followed almost immediately by a description of the first breakfast in the air, which ends:

Graphaphone Plays Jazz Tunes.

"In the adjoining compartment the graphaphone was entertaining the crew with the latest jazz tunes."

Then comes an account of sleeping in hammocks aboard a service airship, with a word of caution for the unwary sleeper:

"There is only a thin outer cover of fabric on the under side of the keel on each side of the walking way, and the luckless individual who tips out of his hammock would in all probability break right thru this and soon find himself in the Atlantic."

There follows a series of word pictures of cloud formations, showing that, as in the case of Alcock and Brown, the R-34 was at times floating between the two layers; of wireless messages breaking thru these cloud banks to bring cheer to the adventurers; of meals cooked over the exhaust pipes; of engine repairs made with chewing gum; of the discovery of a feline stowaway smuggled aboard by a superstitious member of the crew; and then of the sighting of ice fields and Newfoundland, with terse observations on aerial navigation.

Instead of finding expressed at this point exuberance of the captain and the crew, it is remarked that the airmen think they would like to stop at Newfoundland and Nova Scotia some time for shooting and fishing, as the forests and lakes view from the air hold promise of much game and fish. Then comes a more anxious entry.

"The petrol question is becoming decidedly serious."

And again: "For some little while past there have been distinct evidences of electrical disturbances."

Then comes a description of two thunder storms successfully evaded—"set down quite simply as they occurred and more or less in the form of a diary," as Gen. Maitland promised at the head of his log.

OSCEOLA COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD FIXES TEACHERS SALARIES AND SCHOOL TERM

(From the Minutes of C. E. Yowell, Secretary of the Osceola County Board of Public Instruction.

The Board of Public Instruction of Osceola county met in regular monthly session on June 2, 1919, at Kissimmee, there being in attendance Members W. C. Bass (chairman) and W. R. Lanier; also C. E. Yowell, county superintendent of public instruction, and John S. Cadel, attorney for the board.

The minutes of the last previous meeting were read and approved.

The financial statement of the county's school funds for the month ended May 2, 1919, was presented to the board as follows:

General School Fund.

To balance on hand from last report	$15,409.56
To receipts during month	4,753.97
Total	$20,163.53
To warrants issued during month	11,933.22
Balance on hand May 1	$8,230.31

School Subdistrict No. 1 Fund.

To balance on hand from last report	$1,373.06
To receipts during month	151.21
Total	$1,524.87
By warrants issued during month	219.87
Balance on hand May 31	1,204.95

School Subdistrict No. 2 Fund.

To balance on hand from last report	$238.25
To receipts during month	48.61
Total	$286.96
By warrants issued during month	69.87
Balance on hand May 31	$217.09

School Subdistrict No. 3 Fund.

To balance on hand from last report	$1,287.45
To receipts during month	9.99
Total	$1,297.44
By warrants issued during month	315.44
Balance on hand May 31	$981.63

School Subdistrict No. 5 Fund.

To balance on hand from last report	$132.31
To receipts during month	12.44
Total	$144.59
By warrants issued during month	19.76
Balance on hand May 31	$125.19

School Subdistrict No. 6 Fund.

To balance on hand from last report	$74.14
To receipts during month	2.40
Total	$76.54
By warrants issued during month	1.81
Balance on hand May 31	$74.73

Warrants were examined and canceled in open session as follows:

General School Fund ($11,888.52)—Nos. 1863, 1903, 1937, 1938, 1939, 1940, 1941, 1942, 1943, 1944, 1945, 1946, 1947, 1948, 1949, 1950, 1951, 1952, 1953, 1954, 1955, 1956, 1957, 1958, 1959, 1960, 1961, 1962, 1963, 1964, 1965, 1966, 1967, 1968, 1969, 1970, 1971, 1972, 1973, 1974, 1975, 1976, 1977, 1978, 1979, 1980, 1982, 1992, 1993, 1994, 1995, 1996, 1997, 1998, 1999, 1983, 1984, 1985, 1986, 1988, 1989, 1990, 1991, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, and 2011.

School Subdistrict No. 1 ($319.92)—Nos. 600, 601, 602, 603, 590, 616, 617, and 618.

School Subdistrict No. 2 ($79.87)—Nos. 586, 604, and 605.

School Subdistrict No. 3 ($315.81)—Nos. 606, 607, 609, 610, 611, and 612.

Bills were approved and warrants therefor were issued as follows:

General School Fund.

C. E. Yowell, salary superintendent	$150.00
W. C. Bass, member of Board of Public Instruction	4.00
W. R. Lanier, member of Board of Public Instruction	5.40
J. S. Cadel, attorney for board	12.50
Kissimmee Presbyterian Church, rent of building for school No. 1	8.33
Bratton & Guice, rent of ball park for school No. 1	5.00
G. B. Woodall, janitor school No. 1	55.00
Chares Levi, janitor school No. 16	30.00
Miss Albina Smith, salary as home-work agent	60.00
G. B. Woodall, attendance officer	25.00
Rhea Pherigo, office work	15.00
R. D. Brown, services school No. 1	25.00

SCHOOL NO. 1'S TEACHER SALARIES.

R. M. Evans, principal	300.00
Miss Almena Leitner	125.00
Miss Eleanor Moseley	100.00
Miss Annie Whitener	100.00
Miss Pattie Martin	100.00
Miss Belle B. Cooper	100.00
Miss Margaret Veach	80.00
Mrs. F. C. Bryan	80.00
Miss Lola Lawler	80.00
Miss Lillian Prentis	80.00
Miss Cleo Woolridge	80.00
Miss Virginia Tiller	80.00
Mrs. F. C. Edwards	80.00
Mrs. J. W. Trammell	80.00
Miss Cecelia Overstreet	80.00
Miss Louise Thomason	80.00
Miss M. C. Bryan	80.00
Miss Lillian Dale	80.00
Miss Medora Russell	80.00
Miss Ruth Clark	80.00
Miss Edna Schweikart	80.00
Miss Elon Guice	80.00
Miss Emma Yowell	90.00
Miss Nellie McQuarrie	95.00
Miss Almena Leitner	125.00
Miss Eleanor Moseley	100.00
Miss Annie Whitener	100.00
Miss Pattie Martin	100.00
Miss Belle Cooper	100.00
Miss Margaret Veach	80.00
Mrs. F. C. Bryan	80.00
Miss Lola Lawler	80.00
Miss Lillian Prentis	80.00
Miss Cleo Woolridge	80.00
Miss Virginia Tiller	80.00
Mrs. F. C. Edwards	80.00
Mrs. J. W. Trammell	80.00
Miss Cecelia Overstreet	80.00
Miss Louisa Thomason	80.00
Miss M. C. Bryan	80.00
Miss Lillian Dale	80.00
Miss Medora Russell	80.00
Miss Ruth Clark	80.00
Miss Edna Schweikart	80.00
Miss Elon Guice	90.00
Miss Emma Yowell	95.00
Miss Nellie McQuarrie	95.00
Miss Fannie Addison, salary teacher in school No. 4	65.00
Mrs. Carrie N. Edris, salary teacher in school No. 5	55.00
Mrs. C. A. Bailey, salary as teacher in school No. 10	55.00
Miss Iva Niswonger, salary as teacher in school No. 12	55.00

SCHOOL NO. 16'S TEACHER SALARIES.

N. H. Bullard, principal	187.50
Mrs. Laura Lee	95.00
Miss Kate Caplinger	80.00
Miss Mertie Fletcher	80.00
Miss Jessie Doolittle	80.00
Miss Katherine Shadoan	80.00
Miss Mary Florence	80.00
Miss Emma Tyson	80.00
Miss Lillian Ide	80.00
Miss Star Paisley	80.00
Miss Fleda Doolittle	80.00
Miss Lottie Doolittle	60.00
Miss Ota Campbell, salary teacher in school No. 23	60.00
Miss Mary Addison, salary teacher in school No. 41	55.00
W. M. Welch Manufacturing Co., diplomas for school No. 1	20.40
John F. Bailey, transporting pupils of school No. 7	60.00
Robert Reidel Co., supplies for school No. 1	.60
R. E. Beall, manager, fourth payment on encyclopedia	18.75
Lee McLean, collector, water for school No. 1	21.15
Osceola Hardware Co., glass and fixtures for school No. 1	21.15
Kissimmee Telephone Co., office telephone	1.00
Wegner-Sawyer Co., typewriter ribbon for school No. 1	1.00
Waters & Carson Grocery Co., supplies for school No. 1	8.41
Miss Nellie McQuarrie, supplies for school No. 1	4.55
C. E. Yowel, paid for tuning pianos of school No. 1	6.00
Gill Thomas, transporting pupils of school No. 7	32.50
Lupfer & Prather, tires for home-work agent	39.40
Kissimmee Valley Gazette, envelopes for county superintendent	9.50
W. B. Makinson, supplies for school No. 15	3.50
Roy Graves, drilling cadets of school No. 1	16.00
State Bank of Kissimmee, interest	20.00
Edgar Bryan, labor for school No. 1	3.00

School Subdistrict No. 1 Fund.

N. L. Edwards, express and drayage for school No. 16	2.47
H. C. Hartley, supplies for school No. 16	11.45
Mrs. C. A. Bailey, salary teacher in school No. 10	10.00
M. M. Reynolds, supplies for school No. 16	1.35
Underwood Typewriter Co., typewriter for school No. 16	83.03
Charles Levi, attendance officer for schools No. 9, No. 10, and No. 16	22.00
N. L. Edwards, expenses for school No. 16	25.00

SCHOOL NO. 16 ETACHER SALARIES.

N. H. Bullard, principal	187.50
Mrs. Laura Lee	95.00
Miss Mertie Fletcher	80.00
Miss Kate Caplinger	80.00
Miss Jessie Doolittle	80.00
Miss Katherine Shadoan	80.00
Miss Mary Florence	80.00
Miss Emma Tyson	80.00
Miss Lillian Ide	80.00
Miss Star Paisley	80.00
Miss Fleda Doolittle	80.00
Miss Lottie Doolittle	60.00

School Subdistrict No. 2 Fund.

Miss Iva Niswonger, salary teacher school No. 12	10.00
W. R. Makinson Co., pump for school No. 12	3.25

School Subdistrict No. 3 Fund.

Mrs. Carrie N. Edris, salary teacher in school No. 5	10.00
D. R. Scoup, labor school No. 13	15.00
J. M. Cooper, labor school No. 13	15.00
Osceola Hardware Co., supplies for school No. 13	.40

School Subdistrict No. 5 Fund.

John F. Bailey, transporting pupils of school No. 7	20.00

The board made appointments of teachers for the next school term as follows, with the understanding that all teachers thus appointed shall have proper certificates:

Osceola County High And Kissimmee Graded Schools.

Principal—A. H. Fillers.
Assistant Principal and English—Miss Almena Leitner.
Science—Miss Belle Cooper.
Eighth Grade A—Mrs. F. C. Bryan.
Eighth Grade B—Miss Cleo Woolridge.
Sixth Grade A—Miss Virginia Tiller.
Fifth Grade A—Mrs. J. W. Trammell.
Fifth Grade B—Mrs. F. C. Edwards.
Fourth Grade A—Miss Louise Thomason.
Fourth Grade B—Miss Cecelia Overstreet.
Third Grade A—Miss M. C. Bryan.
Third Grade B—Miss Lillian Dale.
Second Grade A—Miss Ruth Clark.
Second Grade B—Miss Medora Russell.
First Grade A—Miss Elon Guice.
First Grade B—Miss Edna Schweikart.
First Grade C—Miss Emma Yowell.
Domestic Science—Miss Nellie McQuarrie.
Music—Miss Myrtilla Beals.
Expression—Miss Helen Bass.
Orchestra—R. D. Brown.

St. Cloud High And Graded Schools.

Principal—N. H. Bullard.
Assistant Principal—Mrs. Laura Lee.
Second Assistant Principal—Miss Rose McKenzie.
Eighth Grade—Miss Mertie Fletcher.
Seventh Grade—Miss Mary Florence.
Sixth Grade—Miss Katherin Shadoan.
Fifth Grade—Miss Lillian Ide.
Fourth Grade—Miss Emma Tyson.
Third Grade—Mrs. Edna B. Goss.
Second Grade—Miss Star Paisley.
First Grade—Miss Almeda Arrowsmith.

Country Schools.

No. 4, Campbell—Miss Fannie Addison.
No. 5, Lokosee—Mrs. Carrie N. Edris.
No. 10, Bassville—Mrs. Rhoda Lucas.
No. 13, Kenansville—A. A. Kight, Mrs. A. A. Kight.
No. 27, Hancock—Miss Mary Addison.

Negro Schools.

No. 20, Kissimmee—F. S. Hadley, Pearl Johnson, Melissee Roberson, and Hattie King.
No. 25, Ashton—M. A. Johnson.
No. 32, Deer Park—Cora Gaulding.
No. 40, Narcoosee—L. L. Jordan.

Miscellaneous Business.

The county superintendent was authorized to secure teachers for all vacancies.

The matter of fixing the salaries of the teachers was deferred until a later meeting of the board.

The superintendent notified the board that its note for $3,000 payable to the State Bank of Kissimmee was due. The board instructed him to draw a warrant for the interest and to have the note extended one month.

The superintendent reported he had sold lumber from the baseball park to the sum of $18.45 and had turned the money into the general school fund. The board approved the sale.

The matters of appointing attendance officers and taking a census for the compulsory attendance law enacted by the Legislature were taken up. Action was deferred until more information on the subject can be obtained from State Superintendent Sheats.

The board signed diplomas and certificates for the schools at Kissimmee and St. Cloud.

The board then adjourned until a meeting on June 9 for the purpose of making arrangements for a school census of the county.

School Census Of County Arranged For.

W. C. Bass (chairman), W. R. Lanier, and W. R. Godwin, members of the board, and County Superintendent C. E. Yowell, were in attendance at the meeting held on June 9 for the appointment of attendance officers and for arranging for a school census of the county. Action had been deferred pending the Governor's approval of the act of the compulsory-attendance act adopted by the Legislature.

The following persons were appointed to take the census in the territory described:

G. B. Woodall—All the territory in the county west of special tax districts No. 1 and No. 2.

James Sage—All the territory included in special tax disrticts No. 1 and No. 2.

J. H. Baisden—The rmainder of the county.

The board then adjourned until a meeting to be held on Saturday, June 28, 1919.

At the meeting held June 28, all members of the county Board of Public Instruction and the county school superintendent were present.

The board made up its estimate of the funds necessary to maintain the schools thrnout the coming year and fixed the millage to be assessed on the county valuation at 9 mills.

The itemized estimates of special tax school districts Nos. 1, 2, 3, 5, and 6 were received and filed.

Salaries Of Teachers.

Salaries of the county's teachers for the coming school year were fixed as follows by the board:

Kissimmee—Principal, $2,000 for the year; assistant principal and English, $125 per month; Latin and French, $100 per month; history, $100 per month; science, $100 per month; domestic science, $95 per month; primary principal, $90 per month; all other grade teachers, $80 per month.

St. Cloud—Principal, $200 per month; assistant principal, $95 per month; second assistant, $90 per month; grade teachers, $80 per month; primary teacher, $100 per month.

No. 3—Sixty dollars a month.
No. 4—Seventy-five dollars a month.
No. 5—Sixty-five dollars a month.
No. 9—Sixty-five dollars a month.
No. 10—Sixty-five dollars a month.
No. 12—Sixty-five dollars a month.
No. 13—Principal, $100 a month; assistant, $70 a month.
No. 15—Sixty dollars a month.
No. 18—Sixty-five dollars a month.
No. 20 (Negro)—Principal, $65 a month; grade teachers, $50 a month.
No. 23—Sixty dollars a month.
No. 25 (Negro)—Fifty dollars per month.
No. 27—Sixty dollars a month.
No. 31—Seventy-five dollars a month.
No. 32 (Negro)—Fifty dollars per month.
No. 35—Sixty-five dollars a month.
No. 40 (Negro)—Fifty dollars per month.
School No. 41—Sixty dollars a month.
No. 49—Sixty dollars a month.

School Terms Arranged.

The board fixed the length of terms for the county's schools as follows:

All rural white schols, eight months.
Negro schools, six months.
Kissimmee and St. Cloud schools, nine months.

The superintendent was directed to open as many rural schools as possible on the first Monday in August, the Kissimmee and St. Cloud schools on Sept. 8, and school No. 20 (Kissimmee Negro school) on Sept. 1.

Canvass Ballots For Trustees And Tax Levies.

The board canvassed the returns of the elections held in district No. 1 (St. Cloud) and district No. 2 (Union Center) for school trustees, which showed the following results:

St. Cloud—C. F. Johnson, 31; H. C. Hartley, 22; N. L. Edwards, 35; J. H. Ferguson, 21; William Hall, 18; J. F. Daniels, 5; L. Riddle, 4; Walter Harris, 1; L. L. Kibbe, 1; J. K. Conn, 1. C. F. Johnson, H. C. Hartley, and N. L. Edwards were declared elected as trustees. On the tax levy, 42 votes were cast for 1 mill. Therefore the board declared the St. Cloud school district's annual tax levy for schools shall be 1 mill during the next two years.

Union Center—F. B. Harvey, 6 votes; G. L. Sullivan, 6; A. D. Story, 5; G. B. Lawson, 1. F. B. Harvey, G. L. Sullivan, and A. D. Story were declared by the board to be elected as trustees. For the tax levy, ¼ mill received 6 votes. The board therefore declared ¼ mill shall be the annual school-tax levy in the Union Center school district during the ensuing two years.

Narcoossee To Elect Trustees Aug. 2.

The board ordered the superintendent to prepare ballots and the necessary papers for an election in special tax school district No. 2 (Narcoossee) on Aug. 2 next. R. L. Evans, C. E. Alligood, and H. H. Hull, as inspectors, and F. W. Hill, as clerk, were designated to conduct the election.

Other Business.

The board fixed the salary of the superintendent at $150 a month and allowed him $20 a year for incidental expenses. The board also allowed him $180 per year for clerical help in his office.

A deed for a lot having been received by the board from the trustees of the Negro church at Ashton for the purpose

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of erecting a school building thereon, the board ordered the deed recorded and instructed the superintendent to arrange with A. J. MacDonough for plans and specifications to be auver-

Bills were approved and warrants were issued as follows:

C. E. Yowell, salary as superintendent	$150.00
W. C. Bass, member of Board of Public Instruction—two meetings	$8.00
W. R. Lesler, member Board Public Instruction—two meetings	10.80
W. R. Godwin, member Board Public Instruction—two metings	12.00
J. S. Cadel, attorney for board	12.50
Presbyterian Church, rent of building for school No. 1	8.33
Bratton & Guice, rent of baseball park for school No. 1	5.00
Charles Levi, janitor school No. 16	12.50
Rhea Phelps, office work	15.00
Miss Albina Smith, county home-work agent	60.00
C. E. Yowell, for three months' in cicentals	50.06
State Bank of Kissimmee, payment of note	3,000.00
Tampa Business College, inscribing diplomas	9.90
R. D. Brown, services for school No. 1	25.00
Central Drug Store, supplies for school No. 1	4.00
Miss Jean Caldwell, decorating school No. 1	30.00
John F. Bailey, transporting pupils of school No. 7	45.00
Miss Iva Niswonger, salary as teacher of school No. 12	55.00
Mrs. Carrie N. Edris, salary as teacher of school No. 5	45.00
Mrs. Lottie Huff, salary as teacher of school No. 15	110.00
Mrs. Lottie Huff, slary as teacher of school No. 15	55.00
Miss Fannie Addison, salary as teacher of school No. 4	65.00

School Subdistrict No. 1 Fund.

City of St. Cloud, water for school No. 16	25.91
Charles Levi, attendance officer for school No. 16	5.00

School Subdistrict No. 2 Fund.

Miss Iva Niswongr, salary as teacher of school No. 12	10.00

School Subdistrict No. 3 Fund.

Mrs. Carrie N. Edris, salary as teacher of school No. 5	75.25

School Subdistrict No. 5 Fund.

John F. Bailey, transporting pupils of school No. 7	35.00

School Subdistrict No. 6 Fund.

Kissimmee Valley Gazette, notice of election	6.75

The board then adjourned until its regular monthly meeting on July 7.

MARKETING HOGS

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WOLVERINES' MEETING

The Michigan Association gathered forty-one strong on July 2, 1919, at the home of Comrade and Mrs. Wolff, on Missouri avenue and just north of the electric-light plant.

We were made to feel at home by the familiar martial music produced by our celebrated Fife and Drum Corps—somewhat diminished from the usual number, but good, just the same. The faithful four who performed for us were Comrades Furgason, Stuart, Burbank, and Deputy.

On arrivig at the Wolff home, an undoubted welcome greeted us, and the keys of the place were turned over to us, tho we had no occasion to use them, for we found no locked doors.

An abundant dinner rapidly disappeared in two instalments, first and second tables, after which the Fife and Drum Corps rendered several selections of old-time dance tunes, which took some of us back to our dancing days of the dim and distant past.

The meeting was called to order by President Pro Tem Bennett, who spoke feelingly of the serious illness of Mr. Goff, who had expected to be in the presiding officer's chair.

"America" was sung by the assembled Wolverines and their friends, and an invocation was offered by Comrade Watson.

The minutes of the last prvious meeting were read and approved. The report of the treasurer, showing $8.23 cash on hand, was accepted.

Mrs. Rawlins of Connecticut avenue and Seventeenth street invited the association to her home for the Aug. 6 meeting.

The entertainment program, with our [illegible] in charge, consisted:

A reading by Mrs. Baker.

"A Visit to the Photographer," a clever description which Mrs. Pike gave of a large family having its members photographed.

Mrs. Bullard recited "The Flag and Betsy Ross."

Mrs. Whitbeck read a selection.

Mr. Curtis read a letter written by himself to his wife in September of 1862 from Antietam after the famous battle at that place and time.

Mrs. Rawlins, in costume, sang sang "Somebody's Darling."

Mrs. Stewart described Lincoln sending a message today.

C. C. Pike read a parody entitled "My Auto, 'Tis of Thee."

Mrs. Wolff related a story of a grandmother who had never seen a picture show.

Little Margaret Stewart presented a recitation.

Comrade Z. Barager sang.

Mr. Bennett related an incident in a saloon.

Katherine Goff talked on "Americanization."

A rising vote of thanks was tendered to Comrade and Mrs. Wolff for the good time the association's members and friends enjoyed on this occasion.

"The Star-Spangled Banner" was sung, and the gathering was dismissed by Rev. Mr. Stewart.

ELLA BATES, Secretary.

WILLIAM H. BULLARD DIES AT HIS MICHIGAN HOME.

From the Niles (Mich.) Daily Sun of June 27 it is learned that William H. Bullard, brother of Comrade James F. Bullard and Mrs. Z. Barager, both of St. Cloud, died at his home, in that Michgan city, early in the morning of the date named. Mr. Bullard's death followed a prolonged illness, in which he gradually failed until about four weeks ago, when he became bedridden.

The deceased was 77 years old and was one of the pioneer business men of Niles, being many years in the grocery business there. A number of years ago he retired from business, and since that time he had devoted much time to public matters, having held the office of juvenile agent and other county offices. He was well known thruout his community and many of its citizens mourn his death, says the Niles newspaper.

Mr. Bullard was a veteran of the Civil War, having served in many important engagements as drummer boy. Among his prized possessions was the drum he carried in the army. In late years it had been his pleasure to play this drum at Memorial day celebrations in Niles or at Paw Paw with his brother James. He was a mere boy when the war broke out, but he was fired by patriotic zeal to serve his country in its hour of need in whatever capacity was possible.

Mr. and Mrs. Bullard observed their golden wedding anniversary in June a year ago in their hospitable home, and had he lived until tomorrow they would have rounded out fifty-one years of married life together.

Mr. Bullard is survived by his wife, two brothers, and two sisters, the brothers being Stephen Bullard of Hamilton township, near Decatur, Mich., and J. F. Bullard of St. Cloud, and the sisters being Mrs. Eliza Farnsworth of Bangor, Mich., and Mrs. Z. Barager of St. Cloud.

Mrs. Barager had arrived in Niles on June 28, and Comrade Bullard of St. Cloud went up from Johnson City, Tenn., where he had gone for a stay at the natonal soldiers' home there.

Interment was in Silver Brook cemetery, near Niles, and the burial was conducted by Rev. H. T. Scherer of the Presbyterian church.

The deceased veteran has visited at length in St. Cloud and is well known here, where many of the acquaintances and friends he made here will mourn the fact that they will not again have the pleasure of his company in our city.

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The development of traffic lines of this sort between towns and cities has only just begun and is certain to grow tremendously in the next few years. The opportunities are especially good in sections where railroad service is not good; but even in parts of the country where railroad schedules are of the best, automobile lines are doing a good business hauling freight.

The perfecting of the large pneumatic tires of the United States Tire Company has been one of the most important steps in making this development possible. Big vehicles are necessary to carry heavy loads of passengers or freight, and the big pneumatics make it possible for trucks and large buses to travel between towns at a speed and with a comfort unobtainable on solid tires.

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It was in 1910 that the United States Tire Company developed the large pneumatic truck tire, and it is worthy of note, as illustrating the extra life that comes to a truck from riding on pneumatics, that several of the first trucks equipped with the big tires still are doing heavy service every day. All other trucks of that day have long since gone to the scrap heap.

One of the facts about which farmers comment is the lack of damage to roads by heavy vehicles traveling on the big pneumatics. The taxpaying farmers view with dissatisfaction any conveyance which tears up their roads, but their comments on motor cars equipped with large pneumatics are entirely commendatory.

CARD OF THANKS.

I desire to express my sincere thanks to the friends and neighbors who ministered so kindly during the long illness and at the death of my beloved wife, Alice Jennie Snow, who departed from this life on June 28, 1919.
G. F. SNOW.

RAILROAD ADMINISTRATION RECOGNIZES FLORIDA AS A SUMMER RESORT SECTION.

The United States Railroad Administration has recognized Florida as a summer resort section by listing more than a dozen places in this State in the administration's "Directory of Summer Resorts." This is a very attractive booklet of sixty-four pages, containing a brief description and numerous enchanting photographs of places in every Southern States, including hirteen points in various sections of Florida.

People who KNOW Florida know also that this State has scores of other spots just as desirable and attractive as those listed: but the booklet is evidence that the remainder of the country is beginning to realize that Florida is just as cool and comfortable, with its ocean and gulf breezes, as is any of the Northern resorts.

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Our Best Asset And Its Welfare

A recent writer has said—with all of truth:

"The children of a nation are its greatest asset, and in their training the nation finds its greatest opportunity. We can no longer delude ourselves with respect to the adequacy of an education which ends with the completion of a course of study that has only a limited relation with the common, every-day life."

Parents and teachers are coming to a realization of these facts more and more as they appreciate the fact that "the children of a nation are its greatest asset" and the equally truthful assertion that only as children are cared for and educated can they attain their rightful value to themselves and to the country whose future rulers they are to be; for, no matter whether a child growing to maturity enters actively into the duties of citizenship or is merely one of the too many passive citizens, the responsibility of governing and directing is theirs equally with those who are most active.

First in importance comes the health of the children of today; then their mental and moral equipment and the training of their hands as well as their minds, in order that they may not only posess knowledge, but the intelligence to direct it in constructive work. For what is all the knowledge in the world worth if the possessor knows not how to make some practical use of what he has learned

In the application of intelligence to work, that which the hands should do is as important as that with which the mind should be concerned. No education is complete that does not enable the educated one to perform some worthy work in the world, that is calling as never before for intelligent, trained workers in all the thousand and one avenues of commendable endeavor.

Book learning is a good thing. It is a better thing when accompanied with the intelligence that makes capable hands.

That the children are a most important asset of a nation, has come to be a generally accepted fact. For that reason, health authorities are giving more attention than ever to the physical well-being of the children in the public schools. Parents are learning more eagerly than ever the fundamental principles governing the care of the child's health. In this, they are being aided by public health authorities and by welfare workers who have made a practical study of those features of child health that are so essential to the man and the woman that are to be.

In this work of realizing the full value of the asset of children, the parents and the teachers have an immense responsibility, for upon them it rests more directly than upon the health authorities or the welfare workers, valuable as their work is.

Recently the Literary Digest, in the discussion of a subject in which all teachers are interested, but not directly in line with what here has been said, made a forceful appeal for better teachers of the youth of the country, and at the same time it said that which amirably fits in with making more impressive the realization that the children of this time and generation are an asset most seriously to be reckoned with. The Literary Digest said:

"We are not pleading merely for the welfare of some single profession. We are not pleading for a special class. We are pleading for America; for her larger, her brighter, her richer future; for the fulfillment of her glorious promise. We are pleading for a coming race of men and women who shall be qualified to make complete the work of our forefathers who founded this nation and dedicated it to liberty, and who will bring to full fruition the new victories that we have won in freedom's cause. We are pleading for a wider teaching of the principles, the purposes, and the ideals of this nation, that all men shall know her meaning [illegible] shall have [illegible] opportunities [illegible] the light of Americanism will so shine [illegible] flood every home, every heart, in our great land."

In pleading for the children, that they "shall have equal access" to the opportunities as they prezent themselves, their equipment, physically, mentally, morally, and industrially, must be seriously considered and provided. The duty devolves upon parents and teachers and all those in any way charged with properly directing the training of children, who in their later lives will hold responsible those who failed in the faithful performance of that duty.—Jacksonville (Fla.) Times-Union.

It is encouraging that a "conservative" journal like the Times-Union thus stresses the most important phase of human life—the welfare of the children of a people, of a nation, or of all mankind.

It inspires a hope that all "conservative" newspapers eventually will recognize also the fact that child welfare begins with mother welfare and father welfare.

There is very little "welfare" for father, mother, or child in a family the income of which is less than $500 annually. Yet the latest authentic statistics in our country showed the income of the average workingman was less than $500 a year! It is more now in dollars, but really it is less because of the decreased purchasing power of the dollar.

Even men with incomes in excess of $500 and up to $1,000 or more annually have what is nothing but a STRUGGLE FOR EXISTENCE. They have but a small degree of what the Declaration of Independence asserts are inalienable rights of mankind—"life, liberty, and the pursuit of happiness." ("Pursuit" being used in the sense of "enjoyment.")

"Child welfare" will have a rocky road to fruition as long as one or more men are permitted to have incomes of as much as SIXTY MILLION DOLLARS ANNUALLY while vast numbers of other men are unable to obtain more than $500 a year income.

More power to the Time-Union's pen in whatever it says or does for the betterment of our nation's child-life! May its advocacy extend to every progressive measure that makes for happier and healthier homes, such as legislation against child labor, against mothers working in factories, for shorter hours for men, and for every movement that will level down the swollen incomes of the few and level up the pittance incomes of the many.

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The high quality and abundant quantity of of Florida's drinking water are important, in view of that momentous event on July 1 by which water soon will be made the only obtainable thirst quencher for many people whose throats hitherto have been strangers to aqua pura.

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The trouble with the malcontents who are objecting to the league of nations and the treaty of peace is that they want a piece of a treaty instead of a treaty of peace.

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Without any attempt at mosquito eradication in St. Cloud, there are very few mosquitoes in this town at any time of any year.

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"September Morn" In La Belle France

Written at Sougy, France, on Jan. 25, 1919,
By Sergeant H. F. Catheart of St. Cloud, Fla.

When we took our seven-day pass, we soldiers so rough and rude,
We visited the city of Paris, where they are fashionably nude.
We saw some slightly statues, and some we thought were crude;
But most of them were naked—they nearly all were nude.
We visited famous restaurants, to find a change of food;
And the pictures painted on the walls—yes, the pictures—they were nude.
We were shocked in old Marseilles. Ah! respect our attitude!
For hanging on those ancient walls were pictures of the nude.
We entered a great cathedral, and feared on Modesty we'd intrude;
For in that ancient structure the statues all were nude.

Now, what I've told you so far is but a short prelude,
For, my goodness! in Nice darned near everything was nude.
We saw some things on that trip to which I'll not allude;
For I won't mention Modesty in the same breath with the nude.
Now, I want to tell you—even tho you think me a prude—
That America would do mighty well to quite apeing of the nude.
Modesty, O Modesty! can you understand my mood?
Why—France is so very poor that her morals all are nude!

Continuous Demand for Fruit Helps to Keep Up the Prices

Stability of demand for any product is a big factor in selling it at prices satisfactory to the producer. For this reason the Florida Citrus Exchange is constantly working to educate the consuming public to make continuous use of grapefruit and oranges.

ALL THE ADVERTISING of the Florida Citrus Exchange stresses the food and health values of citrus fruits.

THE LITERATURE of the Exchange and its demonstration work feature the many uses of grapefruit and oranges in the household.

THIS EDUCATIONAL campaign is causing a seven-days-a-week use of Sealdsweet fruits, which helps a great deal in securing good prices for them.

JOIN THE FLORIDA CITRUS EXCHANGE and market your fruit under the Sealdsweet trade-mark. For full details, call on, write to, or telephone

Florida Citrus Exchange, Tampa, Fla.

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Manager Orange County Citrus Sub-Exchange

ORLANDO FLORIDA

FLORIDA CITRUS EXCHANGE

TWO ST. CLOUD COLLEGE GIRLS SUGGEST WHY PUBLIC LIBRARY SHOULD BE USED.

To Editor of St. Cloud Tribune:

Below we submit some suggestions why the books in our public library should be used by girls on the two days (Tuesday and Saturday) that the library is open thruout the summer.

Girls during their first year at college will feel that their "education has been sadly neglected" unless they are familiar with the best books.

This will be evident not only in English classes, but also at clubs and other gatherings, during lectures, and even at chapel.

There are many books which will be familiar to other girls, but which your particular high school did not touch upon and that you did not know existed.

If you are intending to go to college, it would be worth your while to read some books and in a way prepare yourself.

"Ramona," by Helen Hunt Jackson, is an interesting novel of the early days of California.

"Sohrab and Rustum," by Matthew Arnold, is intensely interesting.

"The Blue Flower" and "The Other Wise Man," by Van Dyke, are good modern stories.

Poems by Edgar A. Guest are also new.

"The Coming of Arthur" and "The Passing of Arthur" and "The Princess" (by Tennyson), translations of Homer's "Iliad" and "Odyssey," "Lycidas" and "Comus" (by Milton), "Adonais" (by Shelley), "Hypatia," "Lorna Doone," "The Scarlet Letter," "Salammbo," "Lars," and Stoddard's lectures are good. "Hypatia," "Lorna Doone," and "The Scarlet Letter" are three grand novels.

"The Lady or the Tiger?" will leave you guessing.

ROSE McKENZIE,
KATHLEEN GOFF.

St. Cloud, Fla.

MR. WATSON ON THE SABBATH.

To Editor of St. Cloud Tribune:

The seventh day is THE SABBATH, not A Sabbath.

See Exodus 20:10. God is here speaking, and His word is truth which permits of no change.

See Malachi 3:6. "I am the Lord. I change not." Etc.

In Genesis 3:4-5 we are told how the Serpent sought by a lie to change God's law. So there are those who still are trying to change the unchangeable laws of God.

So I prefer to believe God and follow His express command, as written by Him 2,513 years after the first SABBATH (at creation), wherein He (God) says "the seventh day is the Sabbath of the Lord thy God."

"Yea—let God be true, but every man a liar." Romans 3:4.

W. MARK WATSON.

St. Cloud, Fla.

DAYTONA BEACH'S TOWN FUSSING MAKES MR. KING FEEL "RIGHT TO HOME."

To Editor of St. Cloud Tribune:

Enclosed are two clippings. That about Stewart is for publication in the Tribune. The other shows you that Daytona Beach also is a victim of "partisan loggerheaditis."

I am feeling a great deal better, and I shall stay another week or two. We have four good rooms and two good cooks. Bunnell and I caught 29 whiting, 4 baby sharks, and 3 catfish in about three hours this morning.

I am all sunburned and my skin is peeling off. Send me last week's paper. * * * Etc. Yours,

W. G. KING.

Daytona Beach, Fla.; July 7.

"The other" clipping referred to by Mr. King is printed below to show that St. Cloud does not have a monopoly on political freaks and jaundiced partisans and town fussers. The editor of the Daytona newspaper should come to St. Cloud and let some of our very best Town Fussers lecture him on how he is "hurting the town" by printing the news about the antics of the Daytona town fussers. He soon would learn that he is making a deserted village of Daytona Beach, outraging its "dignity and decorum," inciting to riot, discrediting civic Solomons, and violating all social and political ethics.—Editor of Tribune.

Parader Arrested By Mayor Smith For Blocking Traffic.

When the Fourth of July parade reached Daytona Beach yesterday morning, Mayor Clark G. Smith could not resist the opportunity to again make a silly ass of himself by arresting Chief Parade Marshal Bert Parker for blocking traffic. Mr. Parker will be given a hearing this morning, and the trial promises to prove interesting—at least for the mayor.

While no explanation was forthcoming as to the cause of the outrage, it is assumed Mayor Smith's 'dignity" suffered by him not being asked to lead the parade, and he could not overlook a chance to make a fol of himself.—Daytona Morning Journal, July 5.

Dr. Pope Says St. Cloud Pays Unjustly Large Share of Road Taxes

To Editor of St. Cloud Tribune:

Concerning the appraisement of realty in the special road district of St. Cloud and vicinity.

It is notorious that the amount of taxes assessed and collected in St. Cloud for our important road improvements is out of all proportion to the amount of the taxes collected in the whole district.

That St. Cloud will be greatly benefited goes without question; but, now that the St. Cloud-Melbourne highway is an established fact, it must be apparent that the whole district and outside territory have been benefited.

This being so, the value of lands outside of St. Cloud has been increased and should bear an increased proportion of the burden.

After extensive interviews with citizens of our city, the consensus of opinion appears to me to be that the appraised valuation of all lands in this road district should be doubled; that the sections nearest to the route of the paved highways should, in addition, pay an increase of another 100 per cent, the next line of sections an increase of 90 per cent, the next parallel sections 80 per cent, and those following 70, 60, 50, 40, 30, 20, and 10 per cent.

Possibly circumstances—locations, environments, etc.—might, in justice, demand some modification or change of this plan; but there can be no question that St. Cloud is paying an unjust proportion of the $275,000 of the special road district bonds.

The owners of this outside land are aware there has been a desire to purchase lands along the route, but they have refused to set a price, showing clearly that they expect to reap a harvest from what others are paying for.

Some persons authorized me to purchase lands east of Alligator lake, but I was met with a refusal, in that "we don't want to sell yet," implying selling at some future day. When? Is it to be after the bonds are paid for? In all the intervening time, in which we hoped it would be developing, the country about us would be lying dormant!

There is but one answer: INCREASE THE VALUE OF COUNTRY LANDS IN THE DISTRICT, LOWER THE TAXES IN OUR CITY, AND OBTAIN BETTER RESULTS.

This, it appears to me, is the whole solution, and HERE IS THE PROPER FIELD FOR OUR OVERZEALOUS CITIZENS TO EXPEND THEIR EXCESSIVE ENERGIES IN. It is rational and just.

This is written in the hope that others may develop yet more this question and bring the matter squarely before Mr. Barber, the county appraiser.

What saith the editor?

F. F. H. POPE.

Of St. Cloud, Fla.

A CORRECTION.

To Editor of St. Cloud Tribune:

Will you please rectify the notice in your paper of June 7 regarding the death of "N. L. Brown"??

My father's name was Norton (or N. J.) Brown, and he was not a "comrade," being only 60 years old.

His burial was in the family graveyard lot at his birthplace, at Canastota, N. Y.

Yours truly,

(MRS.) EVA BROWN DASEN,
Box 40, Fayetteville, N. Y.

ITEMS OF INTEREST ABOUT FLORIDA CROPS

The June report of Sam T. Fleming, field agent for the Bureau of Crop Estimates in Florida, cited the following interesting items about the condition of crops in this State at the time the report was issued:

Irish Potatoes—The production of Irish potatoes for the season just ended is estimated at 1,825,000 bushels, compared with 3,500,000 bushels a year ago. As a result of marketing conditions and unsatisfactory prices last year, there was a big cut in acreage this season, the State's planting being about 24,000 acres, against 35,000 acres a year ago. The growing crop thruout the State was damaged by both cold weather and flooding rains, with the result that the yield per acre was low, being 76 bushels, against 100 bushels a year ago. The quality of the crop, as a whole, was somewhat lower than last year's.

Oats—The acreage of oats for grain this season was about the same as a year ago—55,000 acres. Production is estimated at 935,000 bushels, against 1,080,000 bushels a year ago. The yield per acre this year is slightly under that of a year ago, but the quality of the grain is somewhat better. Damage was reported in some sections from rains at harvest time.

Citrus Fruit—While it is too early to estimate the production of oranges and grapefruit for the coming season, the present condition of these crops indicates a substantial increase over last season's production, but it does not point to the greatly increased production indicated by the heavy bloom earlier in the year.

Pineapples—Interest in the revival of pineaple growing is becoming keen. The acreage will be increased this year, and the condition of the growing plants is much better than it has been in some years.

Tomatoes—The tomato-growing section of south Florida reports a total production of 76 per cent of a normal crop. Early prospects of a greatly increased production were lowered by flooding rains.

Field Crops—Peas, beans, and field crops generally are slightly under the condition of a year ago, but prospects are good if too much rain does not prevent cultivation. The corn crop is notably good all over the State.

Melons—The yield of marketable watermelons and cantaloupes probably will be low. Both crops have showed the effect of too much rain.

Pasture—Permanent pasture and pasture crops are in almost ideal condition.

Peaches and Pears—The peach crop, as a whole, did not show condition as good as that of a year ago. There will be vrually no LeCone pear crop. Some Some of the late varieties of pears, however, will produce a fair crop.

When summer weather comes, egg production can be increased by abundant feeding of green and succulent foods, says Dr. N. W. Sanborn, extension poultry husbandman at the University of Florida. Such feeds can be raised in a garden, or the poultry can be given the run of a peanut patch. Giving fowls any of the summer greens, or allowing them access to beggarweed fields, will aid in producing more summer eggs.

Thus less of high-cost grain will be needed, better health will be maintained in the flock, and the hens will postpone their molting. This means eggs thru June and July.

Produce infertile eggs. Put some of them into water-glass, thus preserving them. Get more eggs than were obtained last year, and with less cost and larger profits.

TRAMMELL WORKS FOR LARGER BONUS FOR DISCHARGED SOLDIERS.

Senator Park Trammell of Florida is continuing his efforts to obtain a further bonus for the soldiers who enrolled in the American armies for service in the World War. He will try to have Congress enact a measure allowing a bonus in addition to the bonus of $60 heretofore allowed) as follows:

For three and not exceeding four months' service $30.

For four and not exceeding five months' service, $60.

For five and not exceeding six months' service, $90.

For six and not exceeding seven months' service, $120.

For each soldier serving more than seven months, $150.

SEEK DESTRUCTION OF 225,000,000 LIVES.

A movement for the destruction of 225,000,000 lives in the United States is advocated and being undertaken by the Illinois Audubon Society.

It is estimated that this bloody work will save annually to America $100,000,000 in food products—wherefore this seemingly Prussian policy.

The lives are those of 225,000,000 cats which are said to roam as stray pests thruout the country.

O. M. Schantz, president of the Illinois Bird Society, says these cats destroy vast numbers of birds which otherwise would consume innumerable insects that destroy food crops.

TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

Notice is hereby given that the Council of the City of St. Cloud will meet at the Council Chambers at 9 o'clock A. M. on July 24th, A. D. 1919, and will meet from day to day thereafter as long as may be necessary, for the purpose of equalizing assessments for the year A. D. 1919, and hearing complaints against same.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and seal at St. Cloud, Florida, on this 30th day of June, A. D. 1919.

L. Q. BOWER, MAYOR,
President of City Council, St. Cloud, Florida.

COMING VISITING GOING

ST. CLOUDLETS

LOCAL PERSONAL SOCIAL

S. W. Porter, real estate, insurance. *

Mrs. J. W. Nelson and Mrs. Cox are visiting in Tampa this week.

Mrs. M. P. Foster spent Monday in Orlando on business.

Dr. O. L. Buckmaster, physician, surgeon, and osteopath, Conn building. 24 tf

Mrs. Bert Gessford was a guest of Miss Myrtilla Beals at Kissimmee on Tuesday.

Read Lamb's real-estate specials in this issue of the Tribune. 41-tf

Brs. Clara E. Kenney of South Florida avenue left Tuesday for Cincinnati on a visit to her sons in that city.

Read Lamb's real-estate specials in this issue of the Tribune. 41-tf

Mrs. E. C. Meek, wife of Cashier Meek of the People's Bank of St. Cloud, arrived in St. Cloud last Saturday to become a permanent resident here.

The Ladies' Auxiliary of the Army and Navy Union meets every second and fourth MONDAY afternoon at 2 o'clock in the Moose home. E. Vreeland, Lady Commander. 18-tf

Mrs. Clara E. Kenney of South Florden left Tuesday morning for Cincinnati, Ohio, for a visit of several weeks with relatives there, whence she will go to Illinois for other visits.

Read Lamb's real-estate specials in this issue of the Tribune. 41-tf

Robert White, who has stayed the eight months last past in St. Cloud, returned to his Northern home, in Philadelphia, Pa., Thursday. He intends to enjoy himself some time at the seashore this summer.

Read Lamb's real-estate specials in this issue of the Tribune. 41-tf

Mrs. J. S. Revell and her children accompanied Mr. Revell to Deer Park last Monday to stay a few weeks at the Wayside inn there, of which Mrs. R. H. Hatcher of St. Cloud is proprietress.

Special for Saturday and Monday, the 5th and the 7th! Ladies' shirt waists and middies. See our window display. H. C. Stanford Company. (Josh H. Ferguson, Manager). 45-1t

Mrs. R. H. Hatcher arrived Tuesday morning from Deer Park on business in St. Cloud. Thelma and Velma Mayes, her little nieces, and also her nephew Hume, ill return to Deer Park with her before going to their home, in Missouri.

Read Lamb's real-estate specials in this issue of the Tribune. 41-tf

Mrs. M. E. Crew, who has been caring for the William Hall home in the absence of its owners, is called North very unexpectedly on business. She contemplates returning when winter arrives.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Gessford celebrated their seventh wedding anniversary at the home of her mother, Mrs. J. G. Hill, on South Carolina avenue, July 7. Those who celebrated with the Gessfords were Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Griswold, Mrs. Millie Hill, and Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Hill.

See the Ford Educational Weekly every Tuesday at the Palm theater. It conveys to the American people a message of industrial progress, universal inspiration and happiness. 43-tf

Mrs. W. A. Shields, proprietor of Rufus Red rabbitry, is visiting her husband at Princeton, Fla. He quite lately went to Princeton from Louisiana to accept a position as manager of the Drake Lumber Company's mill at Princeton. Mrs. Shields will be in St. Cloud again about the 23d of this month, after which she will make several improvements in her rabbitry, on Indiana avenue and Sixteenth street, in preparation for her winter business.

Mrs. J. Hume Smith announces he engagement of her daughter, Miss Elizabeth Turner Smith, to Mr. Malcolm Mackenzie Stewart of New York city. Miss Smith is the daughter of the late J. Hume Smith, for many years president of the Chamber of Commerce. The wedding will take place in the early autumn.—Baltimore (Md.) Sun.

Mr. Stewart became bookkeeper in the First National Bank of St. Cloud several years ago, leaving that institution in August of 1917.

The Army and Navy Union, No. 141, meets every first and third Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock in the Moose home, on New York avenue. F. B. Munsell, adjutant. 18-tf

Auto for hire. S. W. Porter. tf

Dr. and Mrs. L. C. Riddle left today for a visit with relatives in South Carolina, where they will remain about a month.

Clifford Tidholm is visiting his mother, Mrs. George I. Barber. He recently has returned from France.

Mrs. Lloyd Harvey and son Carter are visiting her mother, Mrs. Etta B. Eaton, on Kentucky avenue.

Born—July 9, to Mr. and Mrs. George W. Phillips, just west of St. Cloud, a fine girl baby. The new arrival has been christened Elizabeth Oakley Phillips.

Mrs. George Bracey and her little daughter, Mary Alice, left this morning for Pittsburg, Pa., where they will join Mr. Bracey, who has been working in that city several months.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Mahnor of Kansas City, Mo., were guests last week of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Meek, in St. Cloud, the two families having been neighbors in that Western State years ago. Mr. Mahnor is an old-time newspaper man and was delighted with St. Cloud.

Comrade C. P. Carman has returned to St. Cloud, after a visit of several weeks with relatives in Missouri. He went to St. Louis to be present at the wedding of a grandson, Lieut. Morrison, early in June, but, after a short visit about his old-home haunts, he decided St. Cloud is cooler in summer than is Missouri, and he hurried back to the Wonder City.

Friends and acquaintances of Mrs. R. C. Bryan (formerly Miss Josephine Law of this city) will be interested in claarning that she has returned to her home, in Richmond, Va., after a visit of two months with her mother, Mrs. J. R. Lawe. Mrs. Bryan expects to stop in Jacksonville for a visit of several days with relatives there. She expects to call on friends at Tyler's Island, Ga., also, going thence to Richmond. Mrs. Bryan says perhaps Christmas will find both her and and Mr. Bryan back in the Wonder City.

Comrade and Mrs. George S. Johnson of Vancouver, Wash. (twelve miles from Portland, Ore.), were arrivals on Monday morning's A. C. L. train from Kissimmee in the role of summer visitors to St. Cloud. They are looking for a climate, etc., more suited to their physical welfare than that they have lately been residing in. They come to "spy out the land" with a view to becoming permanent residents in Florida. Comrade Johnson was a member of Company B, First Delaware Cavalry, in the '60s. The Johnsons left Vancouver two weeks ago, and, tho the climate generally is reputed to be mild in that section, they had to sleep with two or three blankets over them at night. They went to the Farris house.

News received in St. Cloud early this week from Buffalo, N. Y., announced that "Mark Stanton of St. Cloud, Fla., and Mrs. Nettie Cleveland of Sparks, Nev., secured a marriage license here shortly before noon Saturday in the city clerk's office." Mr. Stanton is a brother of C. P. Stanton of St. Cloud and was a first-time visitor several months in our city in the winter just passed. His home heretofore has been in New York State, but when he left St. Cloud he was inclined to the opinion that he would make his home here permanently. The wording of his wedding news seems to confirm his inclination. The Tribune congratulates him and hopes soon to number him among our city's permanent residents.

Earl Schofield arrived home from France Friday evening of last week and since then has been greeting his friends thruout our city. He was in the naval reserves when the United States entered the World War and was about the first St. Cloud warrior to enter the military service at that time. He spent most of his time across the water. His arrival home gave him opportunity of greeting his little daughter the first time, she having entered his home soon after he went to Europe. She was big enough to run about with him when he got back. Earl was gassed last September and was in a serious condition some time. He has not decided what line of business he will enter, but he is considering trying to obtain control of the telephone system here and putting that service into first-class shape—provided that his health will permit him to undertake the work.

When a girl removes the family photograph album from the parlor, it is a sure sign she is afflicted by social aspirations.

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Independence Anniversary Is Observed In St. Cloud

(Continued From Page One.)

that of Comrade W. H. Reagan, which is reported as follows for the Tribune:

This is the glorious Fourth of July. We celebrate this day as the 142d anniversary of American independence

One hundred forty-two years ago our forefathers signed the Declaration of Independence, which launched the little republic out into the constellation of nations—then the onyly republic in the world. It received only the contempt and derision of the monarchs of Earth. Yet it has been like the woman who hid leaven in three measures of meal, or until the whole was leavened. So this republic is going to republicanize the world.

Now there are twenty-seven republics modeled after our own glorious country, and out of the awful World War many more republics will be born, all patterned after the United State republic, embodying the spirit of the immortal Declaration of Independence, the first section of which reads:

"We hold these truths to be self-evident—that all men are created free and equal; that they are endowed by their Creator with certain inalienable rights; that among these are life, liberty, and the pursuit of happiness; that to secure these ends, governments are instituted among men, deriving their just powers from the consent of the governed."

To make these declarations into law took seven years of awful war, our cause upheld by the world's only Washington and his army of patriots, finally assisted by the noble Lafayette and a French army. During that awful and unequal contest they fought and fell, did our forefathers. Yes—

"They fell, devoted but undying;
The very gale seems their names sighing;
Their memory sparkles o'er the fountain;
Their spirits rap the dusky mountain;
The lonely pillow, silent and gray,
Claims kindred with their sacred clay."

Yes—Washington was chief in setting up our glorious Union, and Lincoln and his Grand Army of 1861-5 saved it.

When Lincoln wrote the emancipation proclamation, he said this nation, under God, should have a new birth of freedom, and that government of the people, by the people, and for the people shall not perish from the Earth.

That was and is the very principle for which the World War was waged and won and for which our gallant boys carried our glorious flag across the briny deep to the bloody fields of Europe and kept it to the forefront of battle until the white-winged angel of peace crowned it in victory, adding one more page to our dear old flag's imperishable glory.

Let us for few moments with our mind's eyes view the panorama of a battle.

We hear the dreadful crash of musketry.

We hear the roar and the shriek of the bursting shells.

Amid the clouds of sulphuric smoke we see Old Glory carried forward in the whirlwind of the charge.

There men of flesh became beings of iron with nerves of steel.

There heroes died—died for you and died for me and died for liberty. They sleep in the land they made free under the flag they helped to keep stainless.

Earth may run red with other wars, but those fallen heroes are forever at peace. In the midst of battle, among the roars of conflict, they found the serenity of death.

They died for you; they died for me. I have one sentiment for the soldier living and one sentiment for the soldier dead—cheers for the living, and tears for the dead.

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COMRADE BLUBAUGH PASSES TO THE OTHER LIFE.

News has been received in St. Cloud that Comrade David Blubaugh passed to the Great Beyond on Tuesday evening at the national soldiers' home at Johnson City, Tenn. He went to the home about two weeks ago, after being ill in St. Cloud several weeks. The trip, being a trying one, did not help his condition. His remains will be laid to rest at the soldiers' home Saturday.

Mr. Blubaugh was one of St. Cloud's oldest and best known citizens and owned a comfortable and attractive home and vegtable garden at the corner of Eleventh street and Michigan avenue. He was one of St. Cloud's most famous gardeners.

Mrs. Blubaugh was in St. Cloud when she received the sad news.

PEEPING AT AN IDYLL

As a rule, we have not the slightest use for a "peeper" or an eavesdropper, but we have a confession to make on the first count. Here it is:

One foggy, chilly, moonless night in February our way lay down a dark side street. Several rods ahead could be seen a little shaft of light, and when the spot was reached we found a window with its blinds half way up.

Wickedly, but not maliciously, we hesitated—stopped—and peeped.

There sat an old man and an old woman. They were well past the allotted threescore and ten years. He was smoking a well-seasoned cob pipe and reading the Bible. She was knitting.

Still we peeped.

Then she looked up at him, smiled, and said something. He laid down the book, reached for his cane, got up, and hobbled from the room, returning soon and carrying a glass of water, which he handed to her; and as she drank she held the wrinkled and bony hand of her lover; and the look she gave him and the look he gave her were like shafts of sunshine breaking thru the murky clouds after days of rain.

For days and weeks that picture haunted us, and we realized the truth of the words of the poet: "Let Time reach out with his sickle as far as ever he can; altho he can reach the ruddy cheeks and ripe lips and flashing eyes, he can not quite reach love."

When a man really loves a woman, she never will grow old; and when a woman loves a man, he is not decrepit nor bowed nor tremulous.

She is the same lass he wooed, and he is always the same gallant fellow who won her heart and her hand. They are absolutely equals, happy and free.

These two lovers are traveling toward the City of Silence, but they have left a picture never to be forgotten—a masterpiece.—Exchange.

Strawberries from Thanksgiving until the Fourth of July, and then some in between. That is what can be done in Fellsmere, as demonstrated by I. C. DeLoe, who assures us that delicious strawberries appear on his table from his home garden at regular intervals at this season Mr. DeLoe promises us sme interesting facts concerning strawberry culture, which will appear in our columns at an early date and be of beneficial interest to the readers of the Tribune.—Fellsmere Tribune.

It is a wise old saw that cuts with its wisdom teeth.

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Many Odd Fellows Take High Degrees at Meet Held in Orlando

On Thursday evening last two candidates received the initiatory degree and there was a class of thirteen for the golden rule and royal purple degrees in Seminole Encampment, at Orlando.

Grand Secretary Little and Past Chief Patriarch Schofield of Ocala drove over with a candidate from the proposed new capital. Polk Encampment, No. 3, was represented by eighteen strong. It also presented one candidate. Sanford also had a delegation. Past Chief Patriarch H. Edmund Swabey, with Patriarchs Thrasher, Jones, and Woodall, attended from Kissimmee. Past Chief Patriarch Swabey presented the names of five new candidates, who all are members of Osceola Subordinate Lodge, No. 74, Kissimmee. Investigating committees are now looking into the merits of this new material.

With all these mentioned outside members, and with the large home gathering, the fraternity hall was comfortably filled. Owing to the preponderance of work, the brothers did not file into the banqueting hall until after 12 o'clock midnight, when they were entertained with the help of the good Orlando Rebekah sisters, and all fully appreciated the toothsome sandwiches, cakes, and ice cream, which were "topped off" by some of the best of cigars.

District Deputy Grand Master Jester of district No. 13 was in attendance and in prominent evidence as he and Grand Secretary Little favored the assemblage with the song entitled

"From Jerusalem To Jericho."

From Jerusalem to Jericho, upon the great highway,
A lonely, wounded traveler in pain and anguish lay.
The thieves had robb'd and beaten him and left him there to die
And none was near to offer aid or hear his feeble cry.

CHORUS:

Then who tell me who, tell me who was his neighbor kind and true?
From Jerusalem to Jericho we travel every day.
Then who'll be neighbor unto them that fall beside the way?

From Jerusalem to Jericho the Priest and Levite went,
In goodly robe and velvet gown, on holy mission bent
They saw the wounded traveler; they heard him as he cried;
But each, altho they pitied him, pass'd on the other side.

From Jerusalem to Jericho, in humble garmission bent,
There came a good Samaritan, who love and mercy had.
He knelt beside the traveler; he gave him friendly aid;
And from his scanty purse he then for care and shelter paid.

From Jerusalem to Jericho we travel ev'ry day;
And many are the wounded ones that lie along the way.
Are you a good Samaritan, whose love is warm and wide?
Or do you do like the holy ones—pass on the other side?

Brother Jester extended a warm invitation to all Odd Fellows to attend the celebration at Winter Haven of the centennial anniversary of our order, to be held on July 31 next, when a jolly good time is insured to all by the united strength of all the Odd Fellows in district No. 13.

The Orlando Rebekahs sent out an invitation to a picnic at Lake Conway on July 4. We are sorry we did not sooner receive the invitation, as in the past we have experienced the grand hospitality of the Orlando Rebekahs, and therefore could anticipate the good time for those who attended.

How Good Roads Help Fraternalism.

Good roads are a large factor in stopping profanity on the part of travelers. Therefore they are beneficial to the morals of any community. They are conducive also of closer unity among fraternal organizations.

To illustrate this point. After the meeting at Orlando, at the hour when the physical resistance of the human body and its natural vitality are at the lowest ebb (1:30 a. m.), the attendant of the [illegible] town patriarchs crowded their admirably [illegible] extending out [illegible] into waiting automobiles [illegible] ceiving the expressed hope of the home members of No. 13 for a "bon voyage," hied to their respective roosting places Ocala, Bartow, Sanford, and Kissimmee.

Had we still the sand roads which were prominent some few years ago thruout our State, some of the patriarchs would have been stalled by the wayside in an unhospitable forest, or left high and dry in a desolated desert, or would have been obliged to camp on the margin of some swollen torrent, with only one alternative—remaining all night in Orlando and taking trains to their different destinations.

Instead of which, all started for their homes with the moral certainty they all would be "on hand" to hear read the Declaration of Independence in their home towns.

Thus do good roads foster fraternity.

The members of No. 13 Encampment were in good fettle the other night, and their spirits were excellent; and well they might be, for their encampment is advancing rapidly in tone as well as in membership. Their present state is very satisfactory and their future prospects are hopeful. The rainbow of promise rests as an arch over them. Their future strength and usefulness are in the hands of their members individually. If they all do their part between now and the next meetings of the Grand Lodge and the Grand Encampment, which are to be held in Orlando next year, Seminole Encampment, No. 13, will attain the distinction of being the banner encampment in the State of Florida.

The patriarchs who have been advanced to the royal purple degree have been taught lessons along the rugged wayside of life which, being intelligent men, they never will forget. They have passed thru parched deserts, thru primeval forests, and across raging torrents. They have been taught also how to choose their friends; to not judge a man by his exterior appearance, but by his heart, as exemplified by good works toward his fellow man: and they have been encouraged to go on and on, resting occasionally by the wayside in a small measure of comfort, but not reaching that ultimate degree of rest which the Almighty has vouchsafed to mortals who have exercised good fellowship and tolerance toward their fellow men.

This now fits them to lie down in green [illegible] pastures, beside still streams, and to dwell in the [illegible] ever act as shepherds who have been honored with the high patriarch degree. The lessons of life have been exemplified unto them and the teachings of the Divine word touching the two great commands—the reverence, obedience, and love man owes to his God, and the friendship he should exercise toward his neighbor, irrespective of his creed, politics, or nationality.

Odd Fellowship ever since its inauguration has striven for a universal brotherhood of man and a general peace between all nations, races, and creeds. So it is with approbation and sincerity they hail the peace treaty and its prospective benefits.

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LEGAL ADVERTISEMENT

IN CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE SEVENTEENTH Judicial Circuit of the State of Florida in and for Osceola County.—In Chancery.—S. D. Bailey vs. E. L. Lesley et Al.—Foreclosure of Mortgage.—The State of Florida to George A. Branscomb, Route No. 4, Campobello, S. C.:

You are hereby commanded to appear in the above entitled cause on the 4th day of August, A. D. 1919. Witness the Honorable C. O. Andrews, as Judge of the above Court, and my name as Clerk thereof, and the seal of said Court, at Kissimmee, Osceola County, Florida, on this 2nd day of July, A. D. 1919.

J. L. OVERSTREET.
(Circuit Court Seal.) As Clerk Circuit Court, Osceola County, Florida.
JOHNSTON & GARRETT,
Counsel for Complainant. 45-4t

AN ORDINANCE

To Provide for the Depositing of Funds Belonging to the City of St. Cloud and Payments to Be Made Out of the Same.

Be It Ordained by the City Council of the City of St. Cloud:

Section 1. That the City Clerk and Collector shall render weekly to the City Treasurer, on Monday of each week, a statement of the amount of City funds which he has collected for the preceding week, and from what sources the same has been derived, and what items they cover.

Section 2. The City Clerk and Collector shall, on Monday of each week, deposit in a bank to be designated by the City Treasurer, to the account of the City of St. Cloud and to the credit of the proper funds, all moneys collected by him from all sources during the preceding week and belonging to the City of St. Cloud.

Section 3. Funds of the City of St. Cloud shall be paid out only upon warrants signed by the City Treasurer and countersigned by the Mayor.

Section 4. This ordinance shall take effect as of the date of the first publication thereof in the St. Cloud Tribune, viz.—July 10th, A. D. 1919.

Read a first, second, and third time and, by unanimous consent of all present, passed in open session this 8th day of July, A. D. 1919.

L. Q. BOWER,
President of City Council.

Attest:
W. A. ARROWSMITH, Clerk Pro Tem.
Approved this 8th day of July A. D. 1919.
L. Q. BOWER, Mayor.
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NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

In Court of County Judge, Osceola County, State of Florida.—In Re Estate of Charles W. Wood.

To All Creditors, Legatees, Distributees, and All Persons Having Claims or Demands Against Said Estate:

You and each of you are hereby notified and required to present any claims and demands which you or either of you may have against the estate of Charles W. Wood, deceased, late of Osceola County, Florida, to the undersigned Executor of said estate within two years from the date hereof.

Dated July 5th, A. D. 1919.
46-5t DONALD L. WOOD, Executor.

Florida's New Marriage Law Makes It Harder To Wed in This State

Hereafter whoever desires to marry in Florida must appear in person before the county judge; for no longer is it permitted that a license may be signed in blank and be sent from the office of the judge to be filled in by some other person.

Also: Whoever would wed the lady or gentleman of his or her choice must be prepared to satisfy the judge by making affidvat that he or she has passed the legal age of 21 years. Lacking this, proof of parental consent must be presented—or there will be no wedding.

These are among the provisions of the new law governing the issuance of marriage licenses in Florida. A copy of the new law has been filed with County Judge Murphy. A copy is reproduced below.

CHAPTER 7828 (NO. 46).

An Act to Regulate the Issuing of Marriage Licenses in the State of Florida and Providing a Penalty for the Violation Thereof.

Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida:

Section 1. From and after the passage of this act it shall be unlawful for any county judge in the State of Florida to send out of his office any marriage license signed in blank to be issued, upon application, to persons not in the office of the county judge.

Section 2. That no county judge in this State shall issue a license for the marriage of any persons unless there shall be first presented and filed with him an affidavit, in writing, signed by both parties to the marriage, made and subscribed before some person authorized by law to administer an oath, reciting the true and correct ages of such parties; and unless both such parties shall be over the age of 21 years——Provided, that if either of such parties shall be under the age of 21 years, such county judge shall not issue a license for the marriage of such party unless there shall be first presented and filed with him the written consent of the parents of such minor to such marriage, acknowledged before some officer authorized by law to take acin any case where bothearents of such minor shall be deceased at the time of making application for such marriage license.

Section 3. Any coun[illegible]ty judge or other [illegible] provision person who shall violate [illegible] thereof of this act shall, upon convictio[illegible] of, be deemed guilty of a felony and shall be punished by imprisonment in the State prison for a period of not more than one year, or by fine not to exceed $500.

Section 4. This act shall take effect upon its passage and approval by the Governor.

Approved June 9, 1919.

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FLORIDA PHOSPHATE INDUSTRY.

The amount of phosphate rock sent out of Florida was greater in 1918 than in the preceding year, tho the production was much curetailed during the World War.

Statistics collected by the Florida Geological Survey, in co-operation with the United States Geological Survey, indicate that in 1918 the total shipment of phosphate rock from Florida was 2,067,230 long tons, compared with 2,022,599 long tons in 1917—an increase over 1917 of almost 50,000 tons.

Of this amount, 1,996,847 tons were land-pebble phosphate, the remainder being hard rock and soft phosphate.

Of total shipments, only 104,946 tons were consigned to foreign markets—a decrease compared to the amount exported in 1917.

The domestic consignments, however, were more than 25,000 tons in excess of those for the preceding year.

The increase in shipment was principally from hard-rock mines, the output from this area being more than three times that in 1917. The shipment from the pebble fields for 1918 remained practically the same as for 1917. The decided increase of shipments from the hard-rock over the pebble-rock mines is quite the reverse of the last few years, as it has been from the pebble fields that the increases have been most rapid.

During the war, production was greatly interfered with, some companies closing a portion of the time, others running periodically, and still others operating generally, but at a reduced capacity of output.

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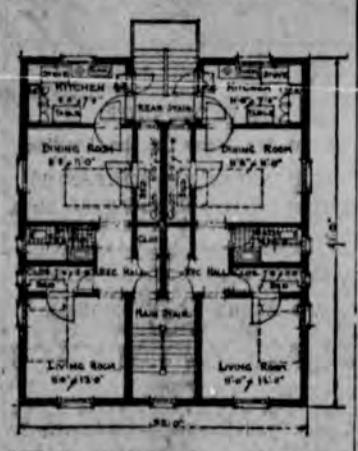
In developing plans for industrial housing projects one of the greatest problems confronting the building committees and architects is to decide what type of building will best suit conditions and meet requirements. Each type of house has its particular advantages and the decision is largely governed by climatic conditions, class



Plan No. 1—Three-Room Apartment With Five-Room Accommodations.

of workmen catered to, proximity to large cities and the facilities for transportation.

Heretofore the detached house has generally been conceded the most satisfactory solution to the problem, but

after a careful survey of the situation the large industrial institutions throughout the country are rapidly awakening to the fact that the multiple dwelling or apartment building possesses many advantages over the single house.

In the multiple dwelling a number of families are housed under one roof. The number of apartments in each building varies to meet conditions. Some communities find the four-family house more successful, some the six-family and others find the larger buildings, housing from eight to twenty-four families, best suited to their needs. At this time we will discuss the smaller buildings containing four to six apartments each. The advantages of this type of building are worthy of much consideration.

Construction Costs Reduced.

First of all, construction costs are greatly reduced by housing a number of families under one roof. On account of the party walls, less material is required and a big saving is also affected in plumbing, roofing, painting and excavating.

Next comes the saving of ground. By building multiple dwellings more families can be accommodated on a given ground space, thereby overcoming any lack of transportation, as more concentration is made possible and it is not necessary to spread the industrial cities over so much territory.

From a purely investment point of view, the multiple dwelling is very attractive. The apartments are in great demand by people who do not wish to assume the responsibility of owning their own home and the rent derived provides a very good income on the money invested by the builder.

It is customary at the present time to encourage the workmen to purchase their homes on the deferred payment plan, making the payments out of their savings. This plan encourages thrift and is undoubtedly a very good one, but the same scheme has been carried out with the multiple dwelling with far greater success because it enables the thrifty workman to become a landlord.

"Experience has proven that there is a ready market for income-producing property, and in sections where ground values are high the multiple dwelling provides a much more lucrative investment than the detached house.

Floor Plan Important.

In order to make the apartment building a distinct success, the most important thing to consider is the floor plan of the apartments. An elaborate elevation is entirely unnecessary and only adds to the cost of the building, but when it comes to the floor plan no idea should be overlooked which will economize space or save housework. It costs no more to build from a good plan than it does from a poor one. In fact, poor layouts are often more expensive.

In building for industrial purposes it is absolutely necessary to keep the building costs down as low as possible, whether the apartments are to be rented or sold outright. The average workman is a man with a family of from three to five, consequently maximum sleeping accommodations must be provided without materially increasing the cost of the building. In carrying out the modern ideas of efficiency, all unnecessary rooms must be dispensed with entirely.

The accompanying floor plans are for buildings for four or six families each (depending on whether two or three stories high), and the striking feature of each building is the vast saving of space effected by eliminating bedrooms.

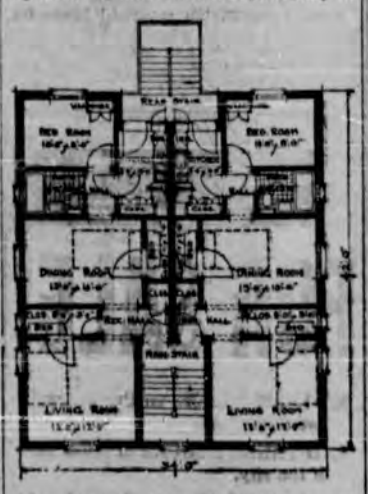
Plan No. 1 is for a building only 32 feet wide and 41 feet long, and can be built on a lot only 40 feet wide, yet there are two apartments on each floor, each apartment having sleeping accommodations for four people. These are really the old-style five-room apartments "boiled down," so to speak, to the modern "efficiency" apartments of three rooms. The two bedrooms of the five-room apartment are completely eliminated by concealed beds, which convert the living and dining rooms into sleeping rooms at night. During the day we have the same living room, dining room and kitchen as the old-style five-room apartment. At night we have a kitchen and two large, airy sleeping rooms. Each room has a private access to the bathroom. This plan is used successfully in many sections of the country and is much more efficient than the old plan of eliminating the dining room, compelling the housewife to serve meals in the kitchen.

Sometimes it is advisable to have at least one regular bedroom. In such instances a plan such as No. 2 is used. This plan is for a building 34 feet by 42 feet and represents the old style six-room apartment with two bedrooms eliminated, reducing it to four rooms. In addition to the living room, dining room and kitchen there is one bedroom. Otherwise the same ideas contained in plan No. 1 are carried out.

Eliminating Bedrooms Economy.

Great economy in construction, furnishing and housework is gained by eliminating as many bedrooms as possible and making the living and dining rooms do double duty, serving as bedrooms at night when they are no longer needed for other purposes.

Concealed beds have been used successfully for many years in high-grade apartments and residences, but only in



Plan No. 2—Four-Room Apartment With Six-Room Accommodations.

the last two years have their advantages been recognized in connection with industrial housing.

A full size, all metal bed, sanitary in every respect, is concealed in an ordinary clothes closet behind a door only three feet wide. The operation of the bed does not interfere in any way with the closet for clothes-hanging purposes. The expense of installing these beds is but a small fraction of the cost of a bedroom. Closets must be provided anyway, and it is simply a question of planning and arranging these closets properly to receive the beds.

LEGAL ADVERTISEMENT

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

In Court of the County Judge, Osceola County, State of Florida—In Re Estate of William Hicks.

To All Creditors, Legatees, Distributees, and All Persons Having Claims or Demands Against Said Estate:

You and each of you are hereby notified and required to present any claims and demands which you or either of you may have against the estate of William Hicks, deceased, late of Osceola County, Florida, to the undersigned Administrator of said estate within two years from the date hereof.

Dated June 5th, A. D. 1919.

42-9t S. W. Porter, Administrator.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED.

Notice is hereby given that Bernard Mullin, purchaser of Tax Certificates Nos. 804 and 867, dated the 2d day of July, A. D. 1917, has filed said certificates in my office and has made application for tax deeds to issue in accordance with law. Said certificates embrace the following described property, situated in Osceola County, Florida, to-wit:

Lot 61, Seminole Land and Investment Company's Subdivision of Section 16, Township 27 South, Range 30 East, and Lot 2 of Block 26, St. Cloud.

The said land being assessed at the date of the issuance of said certificates in the name of M. A. Gentolt. Unless said certificates shall be redeemed according to law, tax deeds will issue thereon on the 5th day of August, A. D. 1919.

(Circuit Court Seal.) J. L. OVERSTREET, Clerk Circuit Court, Osceola County, Florida.

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LEGAL ADVERTISEMENT

IN CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE SEVENteenth Judicial Circuit of the State of Florida in and for Osceola County.—In Chancery.—L. H. Ingram, Complainant, Vs. L. M. Park et Al., Respondents.—Bill to Quiet Title.—Order for Publication.—The State of Florida to All Persons Claiming Interest in the South Half of the Northwest Quarter of the Southeast Quarter of Section 16, Township 25 South, Range 29 East, Tallahassee Meridian, Osceola County, Florida, Under L. M. Park, R. L. Warthan, Ernest H. Satherwait, Josephine D. Satherwait, Ernest H. Satterthwait, or Josephine D. Satterthwait, if Any of the Same Be Deceased, or Otherwise Claiming an Interest Therein; Heirs of Whom the Name and Residence are Unknown, but Citizens and Residents of the United States:

You and each of you are hereby commanded to appear in the above-entitled cause on the 4th day of August, A. D. 1919. Witness the Honorable C. O. Andrews, as Judge of the above Court, and my name as Clerk thereof, and the seal of said Court, at Kissimmee, Osceola County, Florida, on this 2nd day of July, A. D. 1919.

(Circuit Court Seal.) J. L. OVERSTREET, As Clerk Circuit Court, Osceola County, Florida.

JOHNSTON & GARRETT, Counsel for Complainant. 45-4t

NOTICE OF BANK AUTHORIZATION

Treasury Department, State of Florida. Office of Comptroller, Tallahassee.—No. 261.

Whereas, by satisfactory evidence presented to the undersigned, it has been made to appear that a banking association under the name of the People's Bank of St. Cloud, located at St. Cloud, Florida, and organized under the laws of Florida, has complied with all the provisions required to be complied with by the banking laws of the State of Florida before an association shall be authorized to commence the business of banking;

Now, therefore, I, Ernest Amos, Comptroller of the State of Florida, by of the authority vested in me by Section 8 of Chapter 6426 of the Laws of the State of Florida, certify that the People's Bank of St. Cloud, St. Cloud, in the County of Osceola and State of Florida, is authorized to commence the business of banking under the name above given, with a capital stock of twenty-five thousand dollars.

Given under my hand and seal of office this sixteenth day of June, A. D. One Thousand Nine Hundred Nineteen.

ERNEST AMOS, (Seal of Comptroller.) Comptroller, State of Florida. 45-8t

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED.

Notice is hereby given that Arnold Buschina, purchaser of Tax Certificate No. 912, dated the 2d day of July, A. D. 1917, has filed said certificate in my office and has made application for tax deed to issue in accordance with law. Said certificate embraces the following described property, situated in Osceola County, Florida, to-wit: Lots 11 and 12 of Block 82, St. Cloud. The said land being assessed at the date of the issuance of said certificate in the name of J. Buschina. Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law, tax deed will issue thereon on the 11th day of August, A. D. 1919.

(Circuit Court Seal.) J. L. OVERSTREET, Clerk Circuit Court, Osceola County, Florida.

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NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Sealed proposals will be received by the Board of Public Instruction of Osceola County, at the office of C. E. Yowell, Superintendent, Kissimmee, Fla., until 10:00 o'clock July 24, A. D. 1919, for the furnishing of all materials and labor for the construction of a school building to be erected near Ashton, Fla.

Each proposal must be accompanied by a certified check in the sum of fifty ($50.00) dollars as evidence of good faith.

The successful bidder will be required to give a bond of $200.00, said bond to be satisfactory to the Board.

Copies of the plans and specifications may be obtained upon application to Alan J. MacDonough, Architect, Kissimmee, Fla., or may be examined at the office of the architect. W. C. BASS, Chairman.

C. E. YOWELL, Secretary.
ALAN J. MACDONOUGH, Architect. 46-2t

LEGAL ADVERTISEMENT

IN CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE SEVENteenth Judicial Circuit of the State of Florida in and for Osceola County.—In Chancery.—J. K. Attwood, Complainant, Vs. E. L. Lesley and Wife, Respondents.—Bill to Foreclose Mortgage.—Notice of Master's Sale.—To All Whom It May Concern:

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, as Special Master heretofore appointed in this cause, that the said undersigned, as such Special Master, will, on the 4th day of August, A. D. 1919, between the legal hours of sale, in front of the Courthouse door, Kissimmee, Osceola County, Florida, offer for sale and sell at public auction to the highest and best bidder, for cash, the interest of E. L. Lesley and Jennie K. Lesley, his wife; Norman G. Reitzel and Mrs. Norman G. Reitzel, his wife, in and to the following described property, viz.: The N½ of NE¼, SW¼ of NE¼, N½ of NW¼, SW¼ of NW¼, and S½ of Section 35, Township 25 South, Range 28 East, Osceola County, Florida. Purchaser to pay for deed. This 1st day of July, A. D. 1919.

G. P. GARRETT, As Special Master in Chancery in Said Cause. 45-5t

ORDER OF PUBLICATION.

Seventh Judicial Circuit of Florida, Circuit Court of Osceola County.—In Chancery.

E. T. Lesley, Complainant,
vs.
C. M. Jones, et al., Defendants.

It is ordered that the Defendant, Otto F. Weinkleman, appear to the Bill of Complaint on file herein on Monday, July 28th, 1919.

This order is to be published for eight consecutive weeks in the St. Cloud Tribune, a weekly newspaper published in St. Cloud, Florida.

Witness my hand and official seal, this the 24th day of May, A. D. 1919.

(Ct. Ct. Seal) J. L. OVERSTREET, Clerk Circuit Court, Osceola County, Florida.

Milton Pledger, Solicitor for Complainant. 40-8t

CITATION.

In Court of County Judge, Osceola County, State of Florida—Estate of Henrietta Pickens—By the Judge of Said Court.

Whereas Errol Mallory has applied to this Court for Letters of Administration, with will annexed, on the estate of Henrietta Pickens, deceased, late of said County of Osceola, these are, therefore, to cite and admonish all and singular the kindred and creditors of said deceased to be and appear before this Court on or before the 17th day of July, A. D. 1919, and the objections, if any they have, to the granting of Letters of Administration on said estate; otherwise the same will be granted to said Errol Mallory or to some other fit person or persons.

Witness my name as County Judge of the County aforesaid this, the 16th, day of June, A. D. 1919.

(Seal.) T. M. MURPHY, County Judge. 42-5t

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED.

Notice is hereby given that John Buschina, purchaser of Tax Certificates Nos. 1092 and 1093, dated the 2d day of July, A. D. 1917, has filed said certificates in my office and has made application for tax deeds to issue in accordance with law. Said certificates embrace the following described property, situated in Osceola County, Florida, to-wit:

Lots 1, 2, 22, 23, and 24 in Block 307 of the Town of St. Cloud.

The said land being assessed at the date of the issuance of said certificates in the name of J. Buschina and J. O. Leary. Unless said certificates shall be redeemed according to law, tax deeds will issue thereon on the 13th day of August, A. D. 1919.

(Circuit Court Seal.) J. L. OVERSTREET, Clerk Circuit Court, Osceola County, Florida.

By S. H. BULLOCK, D. C. 45-5t

LEGAL ADVERTISEMENT

IN THE COUNTY JUDGE'S COURT, Osceola County—In Probate.—In the Matter of the Estate of Clinton Bass and Flora Bass, Minor Heirs of the Estate of Walter Bass, Deceased. No. [illegible]—Petition for Years to Sell.—To All Whom it May Concern:

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, as guardian for Clinton Bass and Flora Belle Bass, minor heirs of Walter Bass Sr., deceased, that the said undersigned intends to make application to the Judge of the above-entitled Court for authority to sell at private sale the interest of said minors in and to the following described real property, located in Osceola County, Florida, viz.: The NW¼ of the NW¼ of Section 25, Township 25 South, Range 29 East; and commence 567 feet east of the northwest corner of the NE¼ of NW ¼ of Section 2, Township 26 South, Range 29 East, thence north to the lake, thence southwesterly along the lake to a point due west of the starting point, thence east to the starting point, containing five acres, more or less, in the south half of the Southwest Quarter of Section 35, Township 25 South, Range 29 East; and also commencing 567 feet east of the northwest corner of the NE¼ of NW¼ of Section 2, Township 26 South Range 29 East, thence running south 1,986 feet to a post, thence west to the lake, thence northwesterly around the lake to where said lake turns northeasterly, thence to a point due west of the starting point, thence east of the starting point, containing thirty-five acres, more or less, in the NW¼ of Section 2, Township 26 South, Range 29 East; all of said lands lying and being in the County of Osceola, State of Florida. The time and place of said application shall be on the 28th day of July, A. D. 1919, at office of the County Judge aforesaid. This, the 19th day of June, A. D. 1919.

MARY N. BASS, As Guardian for Said Minors. 44-4t

IN CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE SEVENteenth Judicial Circuit of the State of Florida in and for Osceola County.—In Chancery.—L. H. Ingram, Complainant, Vs. L. M. Park et Al., Respondents.—Bill to Quiet Title.—Order for Publication.—The State of Florida to All Persons Claiming Interest in the South Half of the Northwest Quarter of the Southeast Quarter of Section 16, Township 25 South, Range 29 East, Tallahassee Meridian, Osceola County, Florida, Under L. M. Park, R. L. Warthan, Ernest H. Satherwait, Josephine D. Satherwait, Ernest H. Satterthwait, or Josephine D. Satterthwait, if Any of the Same Be Deceased, or Otherwise Claiming an Interest Therein:

You and each of you are hereby commanded to appear in the above-entitled cause on the 6th day of October, A. D. 1919. Witness the Honorable C. O. Andrews, as Judge of the above Court, nd my name as Clerk thereof, and the seal of said Court, at Kissimmee, Osceola County, Florida, on this 2nd day of July, A. D. 1919.

(Circuit Court Seal.) J. L. OVERSTREET, As Clerk Circuit Court, Osceola County, Florida.

JOHNSTON & GARRETT, Counsel for Complainant. 45-12t

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED.

Notice is hereby given that Wilson Jones, purchaser of Tax Certificate No. 930, dated the 2nd day of July, A. D. 1917, has filed said certificate in my office and has made application for tax deed to issue in accordance with law. Said certificate embraces the following described property, situated in Osceola County, Florida, to-wit:

Lot 8 of Block 100, St. Cloud.

The said land being assessed at the date of the issuance of said certificate in the name of S. L. Mock. Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law, tax deed will issue thereon on the 4th day of August, A. D. 1919.

(Circuit Court Seal.) J. L. OVERSTREET, Clerk Circuit Court, Osceola County, Florida.

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Never punish children by striking them on the head. There are other places.

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READY-MIXED HOG FEEDS.

[National Crop Improvement Service.]

The breeder should use his own mind and judgment in mixing the percentage of his feed for hogs. He can find all the tables in Henry & Morrison's Feeds and Feeding and in his agricultural college bulletins; and if he has the facilities can arrange and balance a ration on the basis prescribed. He would, however, save himself a great deal of time and labor and get more exact results should he ask the state feed inspection department for its published lists of all mixed feeds registered in the state, and choose those ready to feed which will meet his requirements.

He will find it to his advantage to know the game. He must use his own noodle in determining the quantities of each feed for each lot of pigs at different times during their growing period.

Professor Evvard says: "The young growing pig weighing 30 to 60 pounds should eat about one pound of protein for every four pounds of carbohydrates.

"When the pig reaches 100 pounds in weight, about one pound of protein to five pounds of carbohydrates is correct.

"At 150 pounds it should be increased; for each pound of protein six pounds of carbohydrates.

"The fairly well-grown hog, 240 to 300 pounds, in fattening will do well on one pound of protein to eight pounds of carbohydrates."

After listing the various feeds and combinations of feeds used in extension hog feeding tests at Iowa agricultural college, Professor Evvard says: "Each buttermilk hog drank 32 pounds of buttermilk, ate less than half as much of the $2 corn, only one-third as much of the $90 tankage, only two-thirds as much of the $55 middlings, and actually reached a weight of 296 pounds some 62 days before the hog without buttermilk did."

So it would seem that buttermilk is one of the best hog feeds. Where it is not freshly available it may be had in a dried powder form. There are ten pounds of solids in every hundred pounds of liquid buttermilk. The rest is water.

MATURE HOGS QUICKLY.

The hog which weighs from 200 to 260 pounds is the hog which the packer wants and is the cheapest and best hog the farmer can raise. According to Doctor Henry, the amount of grain required per hundred pounds of gain is as follows:

Weight of hogs.	For 100 lbs. gain.
100 to 150 lbs.	437 lbs. of feed
150 to 200 lbs.	482 lbs. of feed
200 to 250 lbs.	498 lbs. of feed
250 to 300 lbs.	511 lbs. of feed
300 to 350 lbs.	633 lbs. of feed

From the farmers' standpoint there is greater profit in putting hogs on the market at 200 to 260 pounds.

In marketing hogs young, the risk of loss from disease is also lessened.

He is therefore justified in feeding the very best feeds obtainable while the hog is capable of making his greatest gains.

BEGIN TO RAISE HOGS.

[National Crop Improvement Service.]

Those who have not been raising their pork and bacon should get a good gilt as soon as possible and begin. It is hard to estimate the value of a good brood sow, which can produce two litters of pigs a year. It will be more economical in the end to buy a purebred and raise good pigs. You can always sell registered stock because the demand is greater than the supply.

As a rule purebred sows or gilts are better feeders and will respond to good care better than scrubs. All swine should be purebred, but not necessarily registered, although registering adds to their sale value.

With a bred gilt, or one to be bred to farrow early in the spring, it need not take one long to raise enough hogs for the farm meat supply.

We will not miss our German frankfurters if every farm home will learn how to cure meat and to make pork sausage and specialties. Every producer of pork should cure his own hams and sides—at least enough to meet the demands of his own household and his own hired labor. Home-cured hams and bacon are always in demand among your neighbors, provided of course that you do a good job. You cannot expect to get a good price for inferior work.

Hogs will turn pasture and grain into more and quicker meat than other animals, and do it most economically of all. Start now and start right. Get good animals and interest the boys in the game.

SELF FEEDERS.

[National Crop Improvement Service.]

Hog raisers with self feeders can keep more hogs than they could otherwise. The members of the boys' pig club and the county agent should confer with the lumber yard and prepare plans and specifications which will avoid many of the evils incident to the average feeder built without thought. In some counties building bees have been held by the county agent and in one county nearly a thousand self feeders of the proper kind were built, which caused an immediate increase of 2,600 more hogs on account of the labor saving effected.

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HOW TO KEEP BOYS ON THE FARM.

Start your boy in with animals of his own, and arrange with him so that all of his profits may be his. Nothing will send your boy to the factory so quickly as to encourage him to raise a pig and when sold put the money into your own jeans and tell him that he owes you board.

FLORIDA FARM AND GARDEN

T. J. Ferrell of Wauchula had one and one-half acres of beans that brought him $877.79; two acres of cucumbers, $1,288.60, and six acres of watermelons, $650, making a total of $2916.38 received from nine and one-half acres of truck land. J. D. Bell's six acres of trucking brought him $2,100.—Lakeland Evening Telegram.

J. T. Rhodes sold last week to W. S. Rogers of Mulberry and T. R. Prine of Bowling Green a fine old ten-acre grove located about one-half mile from Haines City, the consideration being $14,000.—Lake Wales Highlander.

Pecans and peaches are coming to be and important industry in the Pensacola section. Hundreds of acres of these are already growing, and a large acreage is being set to them. Those already growing these products say they are profitable.—Bartow Courier-Informant.

A rose garden to supply flowers for patients in the city hospital is a pleasing idea and decidedly a novel one. The donor, Mr. Millen, showed that roses will flourish in this climate, and the hospital garden should be one of the beauty spots of the Sunshine City.—St. Petersburg Independent.

The possibilities of growing cowpeas as a silage crop are somewhat illustrated by a field that C. J. Barrett now has growing on hi place, near the Hillsborough river near Crytal Springs. Mr. Barrett recently brought one of the vines from this field to the office of the Crystal Springs Coloney Company for display. The vines, which had supported themselves on a cornstalk, measured 12½ feet in length, and Mr. Barrett counted 17 of them from the same plant, and he figured that this would make a total of some 200 feet of vine for one plant. In the green state, as the vines would go into the silo, one plant would make several pounds. These peas were planted with corn, in rows four feet apart, and were given two cultivations. They now completely cover the ground, according to report, and threaten to put the corn completely out of sight.—Tampa Tribune.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Riggs, Minnesota avenue between Sixth and Seventh streets, departed from St. Cloud this morning for a sojourn of about three months in Northern States, going first to New York. They will be back when the snow chills the air "up there."

Mrs. Anna Blaich returned home on Wednesday morn, after spending several weeks with her daughter, Mrs. William Phillips of Lakeland, who has been quite ill.

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